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# Earl May's 1948 NURSERY and SEED CATALOG

Earl May Seed Co. • Shenandoah, Iowa

EARLY  
RICHMOND

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RICHMOND

YELLOW  
GLASS

IMPROVED  
MONTMORENCY

## ENGLISH MORELLO

6309. Almost black when fully ripe. The fruit is very large. Makes fine jellies and excellent for preserving and canning and eating off the tree. Ripens in July after the other cherries have been used. One of the very hardest.

## IMPROVED MONTMORENCY

6310. The big red cherry. Best for canning. Ripens 10 to 12 days after Early Richmond. Yields heavily and ripens evenly. Great for pies and sauce. This is the one by which all other red cherries are judged.

## PRICES on Early Richmond, English Morello and Improved Montmorency

2-YEAR WELL BRANCHED TREES	Each	Per 3	Per 6	Per 12
3 to 4 ft. Standard, Postpaid .....	\$1.40	\$4.00	\$7.65	\$14.75
4 to 4½ ft. Select, Postpaid .....	1.75	5.00	9.75	18.95
4½ to 5 ft. Quick Crop, Not Prepaid .....	2.00	5.75	11.15	21.00

## YELLOW GLASS (SWEET CHERRY)

6304. Large, Hardy Yellow Cherry that is really sweet and delicious. A rapid grower. Hardy as far north as Des Moines, Iowa, and similar latitudes. Prices below.

## BLACK TARTARIAN (SWEET CHERRY)

6301. Big, purple-black cherry of wonderful flavor. Adapted to Missouri and territory south of Des Moines, Iowa. Does well in lake region of Michigan and in eastern states. Prices below.

## 2-Year Size, Sturdy Trees

3 to 4 ft., Standard Size .....	Each \$1.65; 3 for \$4.75, Prepaid.
4 to 6 ft., Select Size .....	Each \$1.98; 3 for \$5.75, Prepaid.

## Mrs. May's CHERRY PIE ORCHARD

Cherries have been scarce and high priced. Most families haven't had nearly as many as they wanted for fresh cherry pies and sauces and for home canning. You can have plenty, all you want, enjoy them at their freshest and best . . . by planting trees of your own this year. The first bushel you pick will more than pay for the tree.

By planting these two varieties you'll have long weeks with all the cherries you want. You'll be eating Early Richmond in late May. Improved Montmorency will ripen about 10 days later. We will send you improved strains, heavy rooted and well branched trees. Order early.

## 2 Improved Montmorency, and 1 Early Richmond.

### 3 to 4 Foot Trees

Order No. 6350  
(A \$4.00 Value.)

ALL 3 ONLY \$3.55  
PREPAID

### 4 to 4½ Foot Trees

Order No. 6352  
(A \$5.00 Value.)

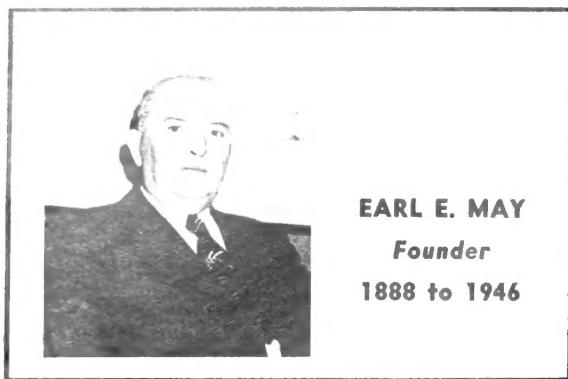
ALL 3 ONLY \$4.60  
PREPAID

### 4½ to 5 Foot Trees

Order No. 6353  
(A \$5.75 Value.)

ALL 3 ONLY \$5.35  
NOT PREPAID

# HOME PLANTING HEADQUARTERS FOR THE NATION



EARL E. MAY  
Founder  
1888 to 1946



Dear Friends:

For many years in this space it was my father's habit to, first of all, say, "Thank You" for the orders you had sent to him. I certainly want to do that, too, and it can be a big "thank you" because we have had the best year in the company's history.

I am especially grateful and proud since it is the first year we have been without the advice and counsel of my father, founder of this business. His principles, the things he stood for, are the guide posts we all follow. He was a stickler for Quality. He believed in giving Honest Value. And I have heard him say many times that it is a fine thing to sweeten Quality and Honest Value with Friendly Service. All of us seed house folks are hewing close to those lines as we carry on.

As the new season for planting and seeding opens up, we have ample stocks of most everything. But, the long drouth of late Summer cut production of some things and we don't know when we will have to start saying "sold out." So, we urge our friends to order early. It is the one sure way of getting exactly what you want.

And there is an even better reason for you to send your order right away. The earlier you plant your trees and bushes and nursery plants, the sooner they get started. They gain extra weeks of growth and development. They reward you with earlier fruiting and larger, more abundant bloom. We reward you, too, for early Nursery Orders as you can see by the fine premiums across the page.

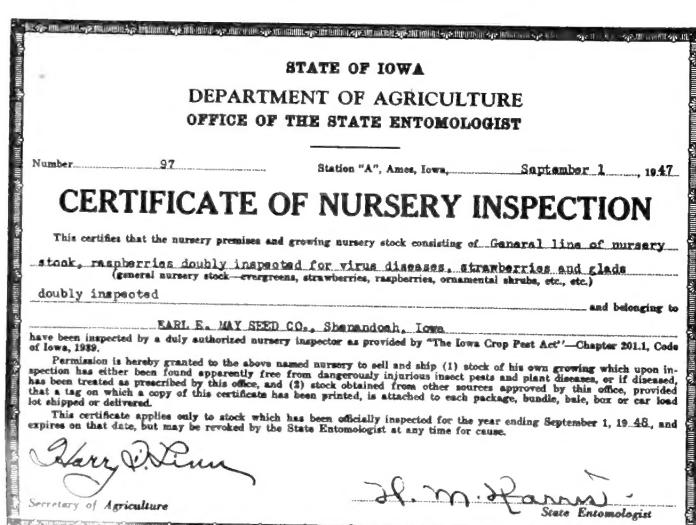
## A Promise Repeated

You can be sure we will do everything possible to deserve the orders you send us. Our guarantee of your complete satisfaction stands just as it has stood for over a quarter of a century. We want your business, and your good will and hope you will recommend us to your friends and neighbors.

And remember you help us to give better service and you help yourself to earlier growth and development of the nursery stock you plant . . . when you order early.

Sincerely,

EDWARD MAY

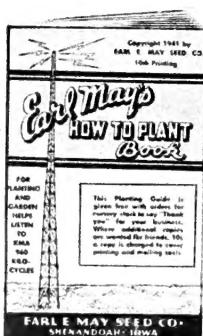


## FREE VEGETABLE GARDENING BOOKLET

You will find complete instructions on how to prepare, plant, and cultivate your vegetable garden in this 32-page booklet. Sound, practical help. Lawn and Flower Seed culture are also given. Sent free with your order for Vegetable Seed, Flower Seed, or Lawn Grass Seed. (Extra copies are 10c each.)

## NURSERY PLANTING BOOKLET

This 32-page booklet brings you practical, easy-to-follow instructions on the planting and care of Shrubs, Perennials, Bulbs, Berry Plants, Shade and Fruit Trees. It is sent free with your order for nursery stock. (Extra copies are 10c each.)



See the fine premiums for early nursery orders across the page and don't miss the extra premiums for your garden seed orders listed on Page 25.

## Radio Station KMA

Every week-day, the year 'round, KMA brings you a world of information on the planting and care of Flowers, Fruits and Vegetables. Tune to KMA, 960 in the center of your dial, for programs especially planned to help you have more beautiful lawns and yards . . . more fruitful orchards and gardens.

## **GUARANTEE AND AGREEMENT**

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—Our seeds are sold subject to your test and approval upon delivery to you. If in your judgment they are unsatisfactory return them to us within ten days and we will make full refund. We cannot guarantee the crop or productiveness, as there are too many things affecting them beyond our control. Our guarantee on bulbs and nursery stock is printed in detail in the catalog.

**EARL E. MAY SEED COMPANY, SHENANDOAH, IOWA**

# **EARL E. MAY SEED COMPANY**

**Shenandoah, Iowa** Date \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE:** All members of the same family should order under the same name, preferably the head of the family.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Street

## Postoffice

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**Shipping Station } If Different  
from P.O.**

How Shall We Ship?    Parcel     Express     Freight     Best   
                            Post     Way

**Please Send Remittance on ALL Orders**

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### **On Most Items**

## HOW TO SEND MONEY

**Use postal or express money order, bank draft, registered letter or personal check.**

Cash sent at  
your own risk.

—In writing us please don't put your letter on this sheet with order. Put your letter on a separate sheet so we can answer your letter WHILE THE ORDER IS BEING FILLED AND WILL NOT DELAY ORDER OR LETTER.

# THESE VALUABLE PREMIUMS

With Early Nursery Orders



PREMIUM NO. 1



PREMIUM NO. 2



PREMIUM NO. 3



PREMIUM NO. 4



PREMIUM NO. 5



PREMIUM NO. 6

Early Orders are going to be a great help to us this year and we express our appreciation of them with these premiums. Even though the nursery stock isn't shipped until planting time, we can get all the "book work" done well ahead of the last minute rush. This really makes a saving for us, in worry as well as work, and so we are glad to say "thank you" for early orders with these premiums. If you send your nursery order reasonably early, you are welcome to your choice of the premiums on the schedule listed below. (These premiums limited to nursery orders from this catalog.)

You are entitled to more than one premium with the larger orders. You can have them alike or assorted. Please be sure to write your choice of premiums on your order; otherwise, we will not know what you want and none will be sent. We may run out of some of theer along, and in that case we re-premiums as the season gets farther-serve the right to send you our choice of the premiums.

**Any 1 Premium on Nursery Orders of \$ 4.00 to \$ 6.00**

**Any 2 Premiums on Nursery Orders of 6.00 to 8.00**

**Any 3 Premiums on Nursery Orders of 8.00 to 10.00**

**Any 4 Premiums on Nursery Orders of \$10.00 or more**

(These premiums good on orders for Nursery Stock only.)

## ON EARLY ORDERS OF \$10.00 OR MORE FOR NURSERY STOCK

When your order for Nursery Stock from this catalog amounts to \$10.00 or more you can have either (1) any 4 of the Premiums above or (2) you can have a Black Hills Spruce, one of the finest of all Evergreen Trees. It is rich, dark green in color and makes a very shapely growth. It's rugged and extremely hardy. We will send you the 15 to 18 inch size, root wrapped. It represents a \$1.25 value. If you order \$10.00 or more worth of nursery stock, be sure you mark your choice of either any 4 of the premiums above or one of these lovely Evergreens. Postpaid to you at no extra cost.



## EASY TO ORDER

Just list what you want on the enclosed order sheet or on any sheet of paper. Please write your name and address plainly, giving rural route or street address. Also, if your express station is different than your postoffice, list the express station, too.

## Easy to Send Money

Your personal check is good with us, or you can send a Money Order or Bank Draft. If you send currency or coin, wrap it carefully and you should then register your letter. Every year thousands of our customers send us signed checks with the amount left blank to be filled in with the correct amount to cover the order. This works out fine for everyone because the checks are always filled out for the exact amount of the order and at the lowest prices in effect the day the order is received.

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## MOST THINGS POSTPAID

You will see that most everything in this catalog is delivered to you Postpaid. This represents a big saving to you. Some things too large to go by parcel post are quoted "Not Prepaid". We ship these by Express. But, since nursery stock goes at the low second class express rate, the charges you pay on such shipments are generally as cheap as freight, sometimes even less.

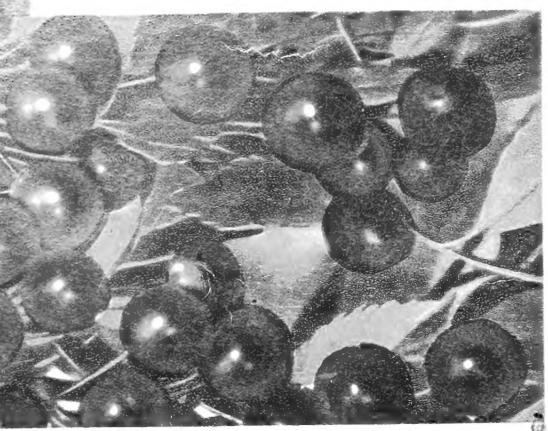
If your order includes some of the larger items which must go by Express and some which would be postpaid by us, then we will send the entire order by Express. This will avoid making two separate shipments.

For this privilege we will include some extra nursery stock which has a greater value than the additional express charge amount to.

## NEW HARDY NANKING CHERRY

6850. An improved selection of the Nanking Cherry from Northern China. Introduced by Minnesota State Fruit Breeding Farm and is very hardy. Bright red fruit is  $\frac{1}{2}$  to  $\frac{5}{8}$  inches across, with small pits. Ripens in mid-July. Delicious for jellies, jams, and sauces. Grows only 5 to 6 feet tall. The plant is very beautiful when in full bloom.

Sturdy 2 to 3 ft. trees.  
Each 90c; 3 for \$2.50,  
Postpaid



### HANSEN BUSH CHERRY

6852. A very hardy, popular cherry. Grows in bush form. Originated in South Dakota. Excellent for jellies and preserves. Thousands of these are planted every year because they're sure to grow and bear fruit. The foliage is very attractive. Popular well into Canada. 2-Year Plants: 18 to 24 inch Size, Each 45c; 3 for \$1.29; 6 for \$2.35, Postpaid.

## BLUEBERRIES

Nothing like Blueberries for delicious pies and sauces! Truly a delicacy. And now you can grow your own. They thrive in an acid soil and need plenty of moisture. To make an acid soil, add a liberal quantity of acid peat, rotted leaves, pine needles, sawdust, or similar material. Plant these three varieties for better pollination and a long fruiting season.

6813. RANCOCAS. A fine medium early variety which produces large, juicy-sweet berries in abundance. Vigorous, robust growth and hardiness.

6820. JERSEY. Late bearing variety. A hardy, vigorous grower and heavy producer. Berries are large, plump of excellent flavor.

6821. RUBEL. Very late ripening variety which is hardy and produces an abundance of sweet, plump berries, practically seedless.

Your choice of 3 above  
2-Year Plants  
2 for \$2.65; 4 for \$5.10, Postpaid  
3-Year Plants  
2 for \$3.50; 4 for \$6.80, Postpaid

### BLUEBERRY GARDEN

Order No. 6837. Have all 3 of the above Blueberries at a special price. Sturdy 2-year plants.

ALL 3 ONLY \$3.35, POSTPAID

## RHUBARB

You're missing some mighty fine eating unless you have some clumps of Rhubarb on your place. It's the first in the early spring to provide you with tart sauce and delicious pies. The newer varieties listed below stay tender and delightful all Summer long. Put the root divisions in 2 feet apart.

### McDONALD'S CHERRY

6862. Originated in Canada. The crowns are red . . . the stems are red. Center of the stems is just as red as a cherry. Makes the most delightful sauce. Grows 3 ft. tall. You can pick it all Summer long. Strong Divisions, Each 65c, Postpaid.

### RUBY RED

6863. What color and what flavor! It is red all the way through. Makes the most beautiful red sauce for desserts and pies. Can be picked all Summer . . . not just in the Spring. Sweet and juicy clear up until freezing weather. Strong Divisions, Each 65c; Postpaid.

### CHIPMAN'S CANADA RED

6864. Newest and finest red. Superior to all other rhubarb. Blood red clear through. Stalks are thick, chunky, and tender, 18 inches long. Very scarce. Strong Divisions, Each 85c, Postpaid.

### GIANT VICTORIA RHUBARB

The old favorite and certainly a good one. Produces worlds of big juicy stems.

Order No. 6861. SELECT ROOT DIVISIONS  
3 for 50c; 6 for 90c; 12 for \$1.55, Postpaid

Order No. 6865. JUMBO ROOT DIVISIONS  
3 for 70c; 6 for \$1.25; 12 for \$2.25, Postpaid

MCDONALD'S CHERRY  
RHUBARB

### JUMBO RHUBARB SPECIAL

ORDER NO. 6868

1 McDonald's Cherry. 1 Chipman. 3 Giant Victoria.  
(A \$2.20 Value.)

ALL 5 ONLY \$1.55, POSTPAID

## ASPARAGUS

First to arrive in the Spring. Tenderest vegetable that goes on the table. Asparagus is good for you, too, a regular Spring tonic. The big, juicy, tender stalks shoot 4 to 5 inches a day. Plant 18 inches apart. They'll grow anywhere.

### PARADISE ASPARAGUS

Paradise Asparagus is the newer, rust-proof variety, a real improvement over other kinds. It yields two to three times as much and produces extra big, fat and delicious tips for many weeks. A grand flavor. We know you'll like it.

Order No. 6873. 3-YEAR SUPER JUMBO PLANTS. Plant this giant size and begin eating it the first year.

10 for 85c; 25 for \$1.50; 50 for \$2.75; 100 for \$5.25  
Postpaid

Order No. 6871. 2-YEAR HEAVY PLANTS  
10 for 79c; 25 for \$1.35; 50 for \$2.50; 100 for \$4.75  
Postpaid

### GIANT MARY WASHINGTON

6870. Favorite for many years. Produces heavy, thick, tender stalks. They keep popping up for 2 $\frac{1}{2}$  to 3 months and what good eating! Early, easy to grow, lasts a lifetime.

#### 2-YR. HEAVY PLANTS, POSTPAID

25 for \$1.10; 50 for \$2.10;  
100 for \$3.35; 500 for \$14.00

### KITCHEN GARDEN SPECIAL

Order No. 6875

24 Giant Mary Washington Asparagus  
And  
6 Giant Victoria Rhubarb

All 30 Plants  
Only \$1.00, Postpaid



## **Delicious**

Strawberry Shortcake, Strawberries and Cream, Strawberry Preserves . . . the most delicious food in all this world. Have all you need by raising your own. Remember . . . you can have a big strawberry patch for what you will pay for a crate or even less of this luscious fruit.

### **GIANT MASTODON Everbearing**

**4001. King of the Everbearers!** Mastodon means "giant" and it's a giant for growth and yield. Makes lots of runners. Produces lots of berries. Long lived. Mastodon bears through the spring and summer and often clear up to November. You can't go wrong planting Mastodon. Our big, hardy, perfect flowering plants will succeed for you. Plant them early.

**25 for \$1.45; 100 for \$4.75;  
500 for \$16.50, Postpaid**

### **PREMIER EARLIEST OF ALL**

**4007. Easily the very best of the real early varieties.** Premier ripens about a week ahead of any others. It is very reliable, too, always producing a bumper yield of excellent berries which are above average in size. Premier bears over an unusually long season. The earliness, heavy yield, fine quality and long fruiting make it just as desirable for home gardeners, too. Perfect flowering. Order yours extra early for real early planting.

**25 for 85c; 100 for \$2.75; 500 for \$11.25, Postpaid**

### **SENATOR DUNLAP**

**4005. Best June Bearer.** Still the best all-around June Bearing variety. Season after season this great strain will deliver more shortcakes, more dishes of berries and more crates than any other. Dunlap bears big, bright red berries over a long period. Stands drouth and cold and late frosts. A heavy plant maker, too, and perfect flowering. You're sure to like Senator Dunlap.

**25 for 65c; 100 for \$2.00; 200 for \$3.75; 500 for \$7.75; 1000 for \$14.75, Postpaid.**

### **MINNESOTA 1166 EVERBEARING**

**4020. EVERMORE.** A new Everbearer which proved superior to all others for many people the last two years. Bears 60 to 90 days after planting and continues through the Summer and Fall. Large pointed berries are dark red clear through, no green tips. They are firm and very sweet. The plants are very hardy, produce runners freely. Supply limited. Order early.

**25 for \$1.50; 100 for \$5.00; 500 for \$18.75, Postpaid**

### **GEM EVERBEARING**

**4000. The great variety that competes in big yields with standard June bearing varieties and comes back to fruit again in the fall.** Deliciously flavored, large, well shaped berries. Husky vigorous plants can be depended upon for big production. Will start bearing 80 to 90 days after planting. Perfect flowering. Sure to please you in every way.

**25 for \$1.10; 100 for \$3.75; 500 for \$15.75, Postpaid**

### **Special ALL SEASON BERRY PATCH**

Just the planting you need for a continuing abundance of delicious strawberries. You will have the pick of both Everbearing and June Bearing varieties. Order early so you can get them planted as early as possible.

**25 Giant Mastodon  
25 Minnesota 1166  
50 Senator Dunlap  
Order No. 4010  
All 100 Plants  
(A \$4.25 Value)  
Only \$2.45, Postpaid**

### **STREAMLINER Sweetest Everbearer**

**4030. The Jumbo size berries of Streamliner are extra sweet, deep glossy red and of excellent quality.** Spring planting in Shenandoah fruited heavily in late July, made wonderful growth, and will surely be loaded again this Spring. High sugar content, continuing large size, and fine texture make them fine for freezing as well as canning and eating fresh.

**25 for \$1.75; 100 for \$6.00; 500 for \$24.00, Postpaid**

# Earl May APPLES

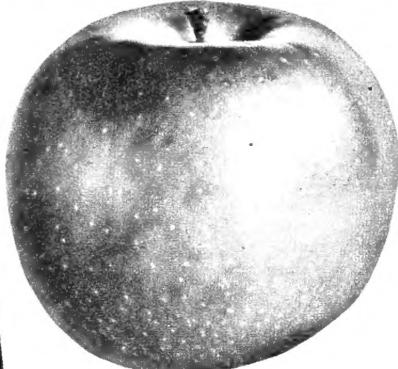
## "BEST 5" APPLE ORCHARD

Five of the finest! All are hardy and abundant producers of delicious fruit. One each of—

Red Delicious  
All Red Jonathan  
Yellow Transparent  
Wealthy  
Whitney Crab  
Order No. 6157

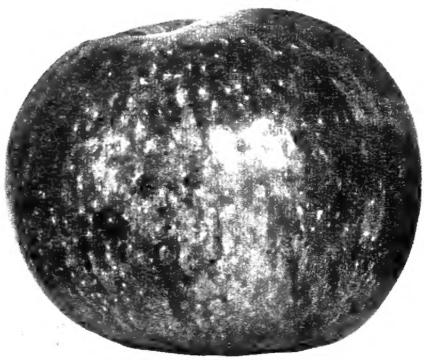
5 3 to 4 ft. Trees  
2 Year Heavy Size... \$2.90  
Order No. 6158

5 4 to 5 ft. Trees  
2 Year Heavy Size... \$4.35  
All Prepaid



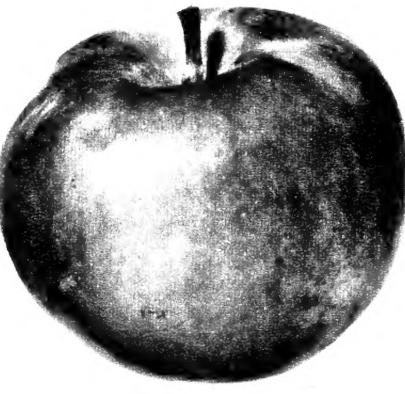
### GRIMES GOLDEN

6103. (Winter.) A favorite for its delicious flavor. A large, beautiful golden color. For sixty years it has been "tops" in quality. A very heavy bearer. Great for baking, fine for pies and sauce.



### ANOKA

6119. (Summer.) One of the finest summer apples. Will often start bearing the next year after planting. Apples are large, yellow, streaked red, and ripen in August. But they are fine for pies weeks before they ripen. Extremely hardy, grows everywhere.



### RED McINTOSH

6104. (Fall.) An improved strain of a fine old favorite. Beautiful red-all-over color, snow white flesh, and delicious aromatic flavor. The trees are very hardy and start to bear quite young.

## PRICES

On All Apple Trees Listed On These 2 Pages  
Except Dwarf Trees

### 2-Year Size, Well Branched, Heavy Rooted Trees . . . Alike or Assorted

	Each	Per 3	Per 6	Per 12	Per 25
3 to 4 ft., Standard Size, Prepaid	\$ .70	\$1.95	\$3.60	\$6.90	\$13.75*
4 to 5 ft., Select Size, Prepaid	1.00	2.85	5.40	10.50	21.25
5 to 7 ft., Quick Crop, Not Prepaid	1.15	3.30	6.30	12.30	25.00

Grow regular large size apples on a tree that takes no more room than one of the larger growing shrubs, by planting . . .

### DWARF APPLE TREES

Here is the answer to all you folks who have wanted apple trees in your yard but just didn't have room for the larger growing trees. Standard varieties are budded onto a special root stock. The fruit is regular large size but the tree at maturity will be only 8 to 10 feet high. Not even as big as some of the larger growing shrubs.

The tree is an ornamental beauty when in bloom and the fruit is easy to pick. Dwarf apple trees bear 2 to 3 years sooner than standard trees. You can surely find room in your yard for some Dwarf Apple Trees. These varieties described elsewhere on this page and pictured on the opposite page:

- 6149. ALL RED JONATHAN
- 6145. RED DELICIOUS
- 6148. YELLOW TRANSPARENT

3 FT. TREES, EACH \$2.45;  
3 FOR \$7.00, POSTPAID

The Finest Apples in the World  
Cost Only A Few Cents A Bushel  
Picked From Your Own Trees

Remember what high prices you've been paying for apples? You can actually plant several apple trees for the cost of a bushel of apples. Plan now for all the apples your family wants and needs. Plant apple trees this year. Home grown apples, the finest flavored in all the world, cost only a few cents a bushel when you grow your own.



### PICTURED ON THE OPPOSITE PAGE

### ALL RED JONATHAN

6116. (Winter.) An improved strain. Blazing red all-over and it colors earlier for earlier picking and top prices. Same unbeatable Jonathan flavor and all around superiority. Bears young and heavily.

### RED DELICIOUS

6108. (Winter.) "The finest red apple of them all" is the claim many Horticulturalists make for this one. Extra delicious, crisp, tender, juicy. Colors early and retain its crispness and flavor in good winter storage until May.

### CRIMSON WINESAP

6101. (Winter.) A rich, wine-flavored, deep red apple. One of the best bakers and a good keeper. Our improved strain is vigorous growing and heavy bearing.

### YELLOW DELICIOUS

6107. (Winter.) Finest flavored of them all. Large, crisp, and firm. Many claim it is the heaviest bearer of all commercial varieties. Hardy, too, and gets into bearing earlier than most of the apples.

### YELLOW TRANSPARENT

6113. (Summer.) Best of the early apples, and the finest of all for apple sauce. Ripens in July. A very heavy bearer and starts at 3 to 5 years old.

### WEALTHY

6105. (Fall.) Extra large, yet the flesh is tender and delicious. Noted for its hardiness and long life. Ripens bright red in September and can be used weeks earlier. Bears young and heavily.

# HUSKIER, THRIFTIER, YOUNGER BEARING

Years of selective propagation put Earl May's Apple Trees definitely in the superior class. **Bud selection has been made from parent stock which is truest-to-type, fruits earliest, and bears the most and finest apples. These trees are repeatedly cultivated and trimmed as they grow to develop heavy root systems and good branch structure. They are superior . . . in size and all-around quality.** They are big and sturdy and husky. Thousands of our customers will tell you "the best I ever saw". Order early so you plant them early for faster growth and earlier fruit.

## Apple Pie . . . Apple Sauce Baked Apples . . . Strudel

We all love apples and the many delicious dishes made with apples. But, lots of folks are not enjoying them very often . . . because apples have been very expensive and scarce. Even a small grocery sack of apples takes a big bite out of a dollar bill. The answer is—

Plant Earl May apple trees this year and grow your own. It's the way to an abundance of this luscious fruit . . . at a very small fraction of what you'd pay "the other fellow".

## "BACK YARD" SPECIAL

Three of the very best varieties for your "back yard orchard". YELLOW TRANSPARENT, the summer apple, supreme for apple sauce and pies! ALL RED JONATHAN and RED DELICIOUS, the finest red apples that grow!

Order No. 6180

3 to 4 ft. Standard Size Trees

**ALL 3 ONLY \$1.80**

Prepaid to You

Order No. 6181

4 to 5 ft. Select Size Trees

**ALL 3 ONLY \$2.70**

## APPLE ORCHARD SPECIAL

This "hand picked" collection brings you a balanced planting for an abundance of apples in every season and for every purpose. Six of America's finest varieties. (Complete planting instructions sent with each order.)

One Each of the 6 Varieties Pictured Here

<b>6</b>	<b>3 to 4 FT. TREES (Order No. 6175) Standard Size, Prepaid for Only.....</b>	<b>\$3.45</b>
<b>6</b>	<b>4 to 5 FT. TREES (Order No. 6176) Select Size, Prepaid for Only.....</b>	<b>\$5.25</b>
<b>6</b>	<b>5 to 7 FT. TREES (Order No. 6177) "Quick Crop" Size (Not Prepaid).....</b>	<b>\$6.15</b>

For prices on individual varieties See opposite page.

RED  
DELICIOUS

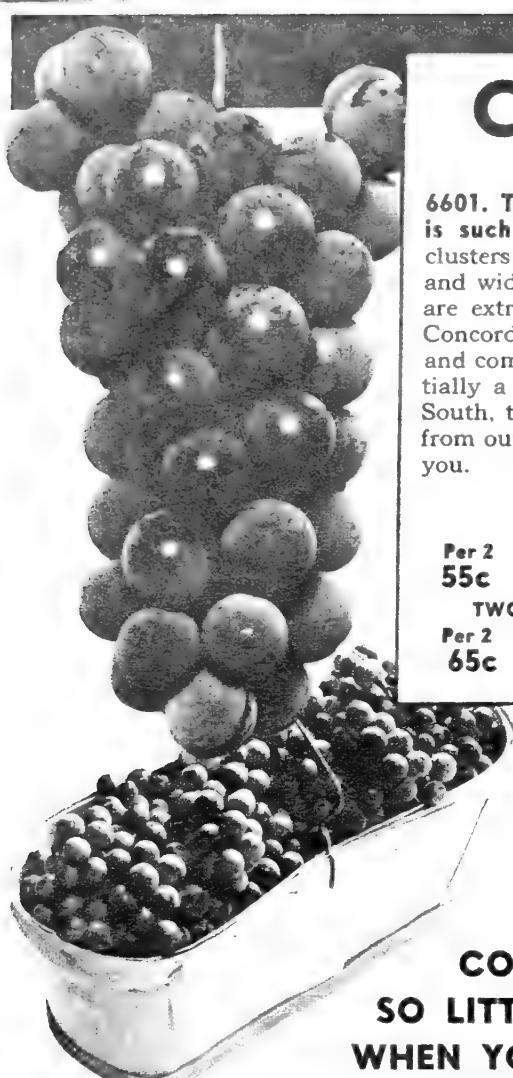
CRIMSON  
WINESAP

WEALTHY

YELLOW TRANSPARENT

ALL RED JONATHAN

YELLOW DELICIOUS



# CONCORD

**6601.** The all-time favorite grape because it is such a heavy bearer and so hardy. The clusters of glossy black fruit are uniformly large and wide. They hang on until mid-October and are extra sweet and juicy. For over 100 years, Concord has proven its heavy yielding ability and complete hardiness. While Concord is essentially a northern grape, it can be grown in the South, too. We'll send you healthy, heavy vines from outdoor grown stock. Guaranteed to please you.

## ALL POSTPAID

### ONE YEAR NO. 1 PLANTS

Per 2	Per 4	Per 12	Per 25
55c	98c	\$2.35	\$3.98

### TWO YEAR NO. 1 "QUICK CROP" PLANTS

Per 2	Per 4	Per 12	Per 25
65c	\$1.19	\$2.69	\$5.25

## SHERIDAN

**6605.** This is the new blue-black grape. It ripens a week after Concord and has even a richer, sweeter flavor. Fruit is large and of very high quality. Vines are probably the heaviest bearers of all grapes. Tightly compact bunches. Prices below.

## ONTARIO

**6612.** A really improved white grape. Large white grapes very sweet and delicious. You get a longer eating season because the bunches hang on longer after ripening. Prolific, ripens in early September. Prices below.

## CACO

**6602.** Produces large bunches of great, big, juicy, amber colored fruit. Very delicious, rich and sugary. Caco ripens in September and is very hardy. Prices below.

### Prices on Caco, Sheridan, and Ontario ONE YEAR NO. 1 PLANTS, POSTPAID

Each	Per 3	Per 6	Per 12
40c	\$1.10	\$1.80	\$3.25

### TWO YEAR NO. 1 "QUICK CROP" PLANTS, POSTPAID

Each	Per 3	Per 6	Per 12
49c	\$1.39	\$2.49	\$4.35

## Earl May GRAPES

# Husky, Hardy Plants Heavy Bearing Strains

No need to depend on the "other fellow" for sweet delicious grapes. They are easy to grow, and our thrifty vigorous vines are sure to grow and bear abundantly for you. **Plant them this year and before you know it you'll be picking them by the basketful . . . plenty for eating fresh, for all the jelly and jam you want, and all the grape juice your family can enjoy.** Plant 6 to 8 feet apart.

## AGAWAM

**6611.** The large dark red grape with the rich, aromatic spicy flavor. We think it's one of the very finest grapes you can grow. Excellent for table use and very healthful. Prices below.

## MOORE'S EARLY

**6608.** A large, blue-black grape of excellent flavor. Ripens two weeks ahead of Concord and is Winter hardy. The bunches are big and compact. Prices below.

## NIAGARA

**6609.** Sweetest, most delicious and by long odds the most popular white grape. The yellowish white berries are large, the bunches big and compact. Niagara ripens at the same time as Concord and bears abundantly. Prices below.

## FREDONIA

**6604.** (Early Concord). The earliest black grape! A newer black grape with a wonderful flavor. The big, heavy clusters of juicy berries ripen three weeks earlier than Concord, and really holds its fruit. Fredonia is extremely hardy and very productive. We know how much you'll enjoy this earlier ripening grape. Prices below.

### Prices on Moore's Early, Niagara, Agawam, and Fredonia

### ONE YEAR NO. 1 PLANTS, POSTPAID

Each	Per 3	Per 6	Per 12
30c	80c	\$1.40	\$2.25

### TWO YEAR NO. 1 "QUICK CROP" PLANTS, POSTPAID

Each	Per 3	Per 6	Per 12
40c	\$1.10	\$1.80	\$3.25

# For Quick Fruit PLANT PEAR TREES

## DWARF SIZE BARTLETT TREE

Order No. 6215

The same golden yellow Bartlett fruit you like so well. The same large size. But, because the tree is budded on special root stock, it grows in dwarf form to reach a height of only 8 to 10 ft. at maturity. Takes up very little room and fruit is so easy to pick. Often bears some fruit the first year after planting. Sturdy 3 to 4 ft. trees.

EACH \$2.45; 2 FOR \$4.70,  
POSTPAID

Big, delicious pears are easy to grow and the trees often start bearing the next year after planting. You can have and enjoy all this luscious fruit you want from your own trees . . . at less than you will pay for a bushel or two of fruit. Home grown flavor can't be beat. Plant your pears this year. (Plant at least 2 varieties, 20 to 25 feet apart, for necessary cross fertilization.)

## PARKER

**6209.** One of the sweetest, juiciest pears that grows. The fruit is medium large, and smooth. The flesh is tender, fine grained, of excellent quality. Bears heavily to ripen in early September. (Originated by Minnesota State Fruit Breeding Farm.)

### PRICES on All Pears, Alike or Assorted 2-Year Size, Sturdy, Well Branched Trees

	Each	3	6
3 to 4 ft. Standard, Prepaid . . . . .	\$1.30	\$3.75	\$7.20
4 to 5 ft. Select, Prepaid . . . . .	1.70	4.95	9.60
5 to 7 ft. Quick Crop, Not Prepaid	1.90	5.55	10.80

## DOUGLAS

**6202.** The large fruit of Douglas is yellow with faint blush and it is very delicious. Starts bearing the very first year after planting. (Some of them fruit the first year in the nursery.) A very thrifty grower, yields heavy and is blight proof. Unlike other pears, Douglas is left on the tree until ripe. (Mid-September).

## BARTLETT

**6201.** The leader and best of the Summer pears. The faintly blushed golden fruit is sweet and juicy. Very fruitful and bears young. Bartlett trees get very large.

## KIEFFER

**6203.** The Winter pear that is most widely planted. Bears young and yields abundantly. The crisp, juicy fruit is yellow. A thrifty grower and very blight resistant. Succeeds most everywhere.

# GRAPES for JELLY & JUICE

FREDONIA

NIAGARA

## CONCORD SPECIAL

ORDER NO. 6624

Look at this bargain! 5 Select 1 Year Concord, all for only \$1.00, Postpaid. **Regular Earl May quality.** Plant a whole row. Order quick.

**5 POSTPAID ONLY .... \$1.00**

**CONCORD AMERICA'S FAVORITE**

All the grape jelly and juice you want when you raise your own. Years of abundant yields for the price you would pay for a bushel or two of fruit. Plant grapes this year. Send your or-

**Family  
GRAPE VINEYARD**

ORDER NO. 6627  
ALL LEADERS — VERY HARDY

4 Concord  
2 Agawam  
2 Fredonia  
2 Niagara

Extra Select, 1 Year No. 1  
Plants, Postpaid

10

\$2.15

(A \$2.78 Value)

All Season

## Black Grape

SPECIAL

ORDER NO. 6626

Here's the way to have the finest of grapes over a period of 5 to 6 weeks or longer. Moore's Early will ripen a week to 10 days ahead of Concord and Sheridan, about 2 weeks after Concord. Truly an All-Season Collection of the pick of the black grapes.

2 Fredonia  
2 Concord  
2 Sheridan

6 Jumbo "Quick Crops" Vines,  
Postpaid ..... \$1.98

## Red, White & Blue Special

ORDER NO. 6625

4 Concord  
Favorite Black  
2 Caco  
Red. Rich flavor  
1 Niagara  
Queen of Whites  
1 Fredonia  
New Earliest Black  
8 Extra Select  
1-Year Vines  
Postpaid ..... \$1.75

AGAWAM

BARTLETT

KEIFFER

DOUGLAS

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# PEARS

## PEAR TREE SPECIAL

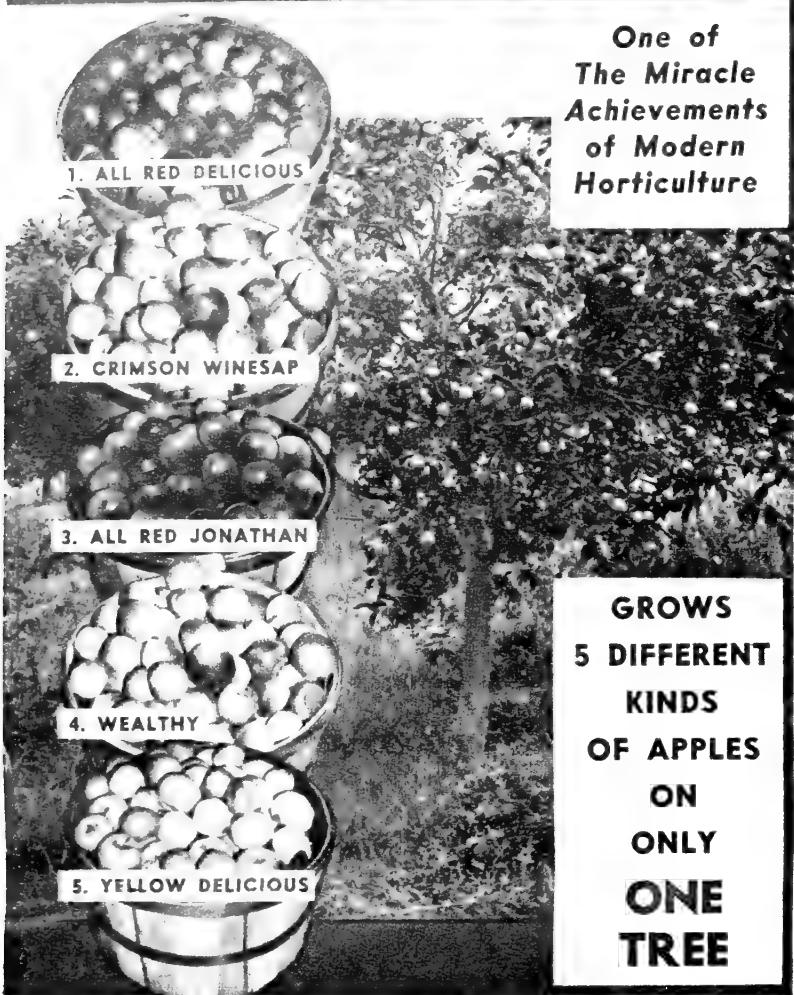
You can have all three of the fine pears pictured here at a very special price. One each of the following:

Bartlett      Douglas      Keiffer

**3 2 YEAR, 3 to 4 ft. Trees  
STANDARD SIZE No. 6256..... \$3.60  
PREPAID**

**3 2 YEAR, 5 to 7 ft. Trees  
"QUICK CROP" SIZE No. 6257..... \$5.40  
NOT PREPAID**

# "APPLE ORCHARD" Quintuplet Tree



## QUINTUPLET APPLE TREE

Here is one of the miracle achievements of Horticulture! A single tree from which you can pick 5 separate and distinct varieties of Apples. You can enjoy the many fruits of a whole apple orchard even though you have room for only one or two trees. How is the Quintuplet "Apple Orchard tree" produced? Five expert budders are assigned to one row of trees. Each man carries buds of only one variety and inserts one bud in each tree. When these five budders have finished the row, each tree has those five varieties budded into it. Since each bud makes its own separate limb growth, they will produce the exact variety of fruit which was budded on. *Plant one or two of our Quintuplet Orchard trees and you will really have as many or even more kinds of apples than are produced in most home orchards.*

**6126.** When you plant our Standard Quintuplet Apple Orchard tree, you pick (1) **Wealthy**, an early Fall all-purpose apple; (2) **Yellow Delicious**, late Fall eating and baking apple; (3) **All Red Delicious**, finest of all eating apples; (4) **All Red Jonathan**, greatest all-purpose apple, and (5) **Crimson Winesap**, fine for eating and cooking and one of the best winter apples.

**Extra Select, 5 to 6 ft. trees**

**Each \$2.85; 2 for \$5.50, Not Prepaid**

## CHINESE CHESTNUT (Blight Resistant)

**5856.** Now you can grow your own richly delicious chestnuts again. This new, sturdy Chinese Chestnut is another outstanding achievement. It is blight-resistant, thoroughly tested and proved for heavy production of high quality nuts, slightly larger than produced on native trees. Thrives in wide variety of soils, hardy wherever native chestnuts are hardy. Sturdy 2-year seedlings trees, best for transplanting. 15 to 18 inch size: Each 75c; 2 for \$1.45; 4 for \$2.50, Postpaid.

## The New Larger THOMAS BLACK WALNUT



A wonderfully improved new strain which bears much earlier and has larger nuts with a softer shell almost as easily cracked as the English Walnuts.

**5850.** The picture above was taken on the farm when this Thomas Black Walnut tree was 4 years old. The tree yielded a bushel of nuts. The year before it had about  $\frac{2}{3}$  of a bushel and the year before that about  $\frac{1}{2}$  bushel. How's that for early bearing? **And friends, look at the size of the kernel, larger than a half dollar. Best of all, the shells are soft, easily cracked.** It will grow in any state in the Union and we urge you to get them started on your place this year. The supply is limited. So, order yours extra early. Sturdy 2 to 3 ft. Size Trees. **Each \$2.50, Postpaid.**



**BLACK WALNUT**

**5851.** The favorite for wonderful flavor, in cakes and candies.

**2 to 3 foot Trees: Each 35c; 2 for 65c; 4 for \$1.19, Postpaid.**



**HAZELNUT**

**5854. (Filberts).** Grows in shrub form and the nuts are in clusters. Grand flavor. 18 to 24 inch plants: Each 59c; 2 for \$1.10; 4 for \$1.95, Postpaid.



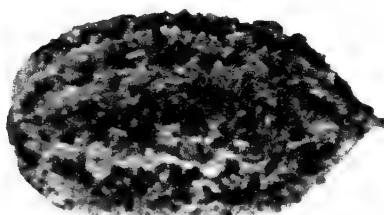
**SHELL BARK HICKORY**

**5853.** A beautiful shade tree and it bears large quantities of those big, highly flavored Hickory nuts. 15 to 18 inch trees. Each 59c; 2 for \$1.10; 4 for \$1.95, Postpaid.

## SPECIAL! NUT GROVE ALL FIVE FOR **\$2 10**

Order No. 5860

One each of Hickory, Hazelnut, Black Walnut, Hardy Pecan, and Butternut in sizes offered on this page. (A \$2.83 Value.)



**BUTTERNUT**

**5855.** Cousin to the Black Walnuts, bears long large nuts with rich, buttery flavor. **2 to 3 foot trees: Each 55c; 2 for \$1.00; 4 for \$1.75, Postpaid.**



**HARDY PECAN**

**5852.** Bears those richly flavored nuts we all especially want for Christmas time. A beautiful shade tree with large, thin-shelled nuts. **2 to 3 foot trees: Each 75c; 2 for \$1.45; 4 for \$2.50, Postpaid.**

## GOOSEBERRY PIE

A favorite treat with lots of folks. Enjoy it as often as you please by growing your own. Plant fruit this year.

### DOWNING GOOSEBERRY

## CURRANTS

### NEW PERFECTION

6831. The best of the Currants for all-around quality of fruit and heavy bearing. Bright red berries come in large, easy-to-pick clusters. Mild flavor, very juicy, with few seeds. Heavy 2-Year Plants, Postpaid.

Each 49c; 3 for \$1.29; 6 for \$2.25

### RED LAKE

6830. A newer red Currant with large berries, superior quality, and flavor. Hardy and heavy yielding. Heavy 2-Year Plants, Postpaid.

Each 55c; 3 for \$1.45; 6 for \$2.65

### CURRENT GARDEN

Order No. 6833

2 Red Lake and 1 Perfection

(A \$1.59 Value)

ALL 3 ONLY \$1.19, POSTPAID

### NEW PERFECTION CURRANT

## OUR NATION'S LEADERS ASK FOR FOOD! FOOD! and MORE FOOD!

## HORSERADISH

(Bohemian)

6859. Here is something that every one of you will want. Plant a few roots. Just dig up some and grind it up and then put it on pork or beef and notice the flavor it makes, particularly if it is fresh from your own garden. A half dozen roots are sufficient for a moderate supply, but a dozen will be generous for the average family. We recommend that you plant the crown plants. They will be usable roots for you the first year.

Crowns; 3 for 45c; 6 for 79c;  
12 for \$1.39, Postpaid

## SAGE

2603. Seasoning for sausage, meats, dressings. Comes on year after year. Well rooted plants, Each, 35c; 3 for \$1.00, Postpaid.

Most of us feel a little helpless and sometimes confused when world problems are discussed. We all want a permanent peace but hardly know what we, as individuals, can do to help. But, there is one thing nearly all of us can and should do. We can answer the Nation's need for 20 million Freedom Gardens.

"FOOD" is the biggest word in the world today. And our leaders tell us Food will be a most important consideration for peace for the next 3 to 5 years.

Secretary of Agriculture Clinton P. Anderson has said, "The individual contributions of home gardeners can be tremendously significant in adding to our domestic food supply." He also states, "By helping to meet increasing living costs, the home gardener will make a precious contribution to a hungry world."

It is a contribution to World Peace which works both ways. You have the fresher, tastier food from your garden and orchard. You make a really big saving in your living costs. And at the same time you help our country in the immense task of halting starvation throughout the world.

Plan now for the vegetables and fruits you will want to plant when Spring comes. Even a "back yard" garden will produce bushels of food. Even a small berry patch and a few fruit trees will bring you a lot of fine eating. Plan now! Plant Food this Spring!

## GOOSEBERRIES

### DOWNING

6841. Largest and best of the green Gooseberries. Favorite for pie and sauce because of excellent flavor and quality of the fruit. A vigorous grower, heavy bearer. Extremely hardy, clear into Canada. Heavy 2-Year Plants.

Each 69c; 3 for \$1.80; 6 for \$3.30, Postpaid

### HOUGHTON

6839. Rated the sweetest of all Gooseberries. Pale red when ripe. A vigorous variety and a very prolific bearer. Heavy 2-Year Plants.

Each 69c; 3 for \$1.80; 6 for \$3.30, Postpaid

### GOOSEBERRY GARDEN

Order No. 6845

2 Downing and 1 Houghton

(A \$2.07 Value)

ALL 3 ONLY \$1.55, POSTPAID

## Send Seeds Abroad

So many people have asked about sending seeds to friends and relatives overseas that we have made up this special collection. Every ounce and packet was especially selected for adaptability under widely varying conditions. It will actually produce enough vegetables to supply an average family for a whole year . . . for fresh eating, for canning, and for winter storage, too. All new crop, high germinating seed.

We are all ready to take care of all the details of Export for you. The shipment will go forward as soon as we receive your order. We will then mail you a receipt for your money and a receipt from our Postoffice showing you the shipment has been mailed. The one cost of \$3.95 pays for everything.

### EUROPEAN SEED ASSORTMENT

1/2 lb. PEAS	1/2 oz. TURNIPS	Pkt. KALE
1/2 lb. GREEN BEANS	1/2 oz. RUTABAGAS	Pkt. BROCCOLI
2 oz. POLE BEANS	2 Pkts. CABBAGE	Pkt. LEEK
2 oz. BEETS	2 Pkts. LETTUCE	Pkt. PARSLEY
1 oz. CARROTS	Pkt. BRUSSEL SPROUTS	Pkt. PARNSHIPS
1 oz. ONIONS	Pkt. CAULIFLOWER	Pkt. SQUASH
1 oz. RADISHES	Pkt. CUCUMBER	Pkt. TOMATO
1 oz. SPINACH	Pkt. ENDIVE	

### HERE IS ALL YOU DO

1. Send us \$3.95 and the following information (on a separate piece of paper, please.)
2. The name and address of the person you want to receive the seeds. (If shipment is to Germany, be sure you state which Occupation Zone.)
3. Send your name and address.

IMPORTANT: Don't delay. Do it at once, because it is not advisable to send seeds overseas later than March 1st.



## THORNLESS BOYSENBERRY

**6801.** Just think of wine-purple berries 1½ to 2 inches long and an inch thick. Imagine the delicious flavor of the Loganberry, Raspberry and Blackberry. That's what the Boysenberry is—a 3-way cross. The result is a huge berry, juicy and luscious, and almost seedless. They bear very heavily, start the year after planting and continue for years. Can't be beat for pies, jelly, jam, preserves and is a rare treat eaten fresh with cream. Hardy, too, and easy to transplant. Our strong, vigorous plants will please you 100%. In northern latitudes, mulch lightly with straw in the winter. (Complete planting instructions free with each order.)

**Heavy No. 1 Plants, Postpaid**

**Each 30c; 5 for \$1.25; 10 for \$2.25**

**6800. REGULAR BOYSENBERRY.** Same wonderful fruit as the Thornless variety. Same marvelous flavor and heavy yield.

**Heavy No. 1 Plants, Postpaid**

**5 for 85c; 10 for \$1.50; 25 for \$3.50; 50 for \$6.35**



## SODUS PURPLE RASPBERRY

**6712.** Heaviest bearing of all the raspberries and one of the best for mid-west fruit lovers. The rich maroon colored berries are firm, often an inch in diameter and have an outstanding, delicious, sweet flavor. The sturdy, upright growth and large berries mean easy picking. The plants are perfectly hardy and vigorous growers. Don't fail to include Sodus in your berry planting.

**Heavy No. 1 Plants, Postpaid**

**10 for \$2.00; 25 for \$4.30; 50 for \$8.25**

## A Treasure In Goodness!

Berry Preserves! A treasure in every household. But they've been scarce and expensive. Enjoy all you want, at hardly any cost . . . by planting your own patch this spring.



## LATHAM RED RASPBERRY

**6704.** The most popular! A very thrifty grower, very productive and grandest flavor you can imagine. A beautiful bright red color, too. Great for preserves or for eating fresh. Latham is proven hardy, has stood 45 degrees below zero. We know you'll have fine success with the thrifty, heavy plants we send you.

**Extra Select Heavy Plants**

**10 for \$1.45; 25 for \$2.90; 50 for \$5.45**

**100 for \$10.15, Postpaid**

**Super Select No. 1 Plants**

**10 for \$1.65; 25 for \$3.50; 50 for \$6.95**

**100 for \$13.00, Postpaid**

## HOME BERRY COLLECTION

We have selected a wonderful combination of varieties to recommend for your Home Berry Patch. The great SODUS Purple Raspberry! LATHAM, the great red raspberry. And CUMBERLAND, the best of the black raspberries! They are all great yielders of fine quality berries. They are easy to grow. Plant them and you will have plenty of luscious berries for pies, sauce, jelly and preserves. There will be plenty, too, for eating fresh with cream. Our big, healthy plants will grow vigorously for you and you will be enjoying delicious fruit for years to come. (A \$2.40 Value.)

**ORDER NO. 6760**

**5 Purple Raspberry  
(SODUS)**

**5 Red Raspberry  
(LATHAM)**

**5 Black Raspberry  
(CUMBERLAND)**

**ALL 15 PLANTS  
\$1.65 POSTPAID**

## CUMBERLAND BLACK RASPBERRY

A great producer, one of the most reliable. Hardest of all the Black Raspberries. Berries are extra large and glossy black and a wonderfully delicious flavor. Cumberland has been the standard black cap for many years. Our heavy rooted plants will succeed in any soil and produce big crops year after year.

### HEAVY NO. 1 PLANTS

Order No. 6706

**10 for \$1.35; 25 for \$2.75;**

**50 for \$5.25; 100 for \$9.50**

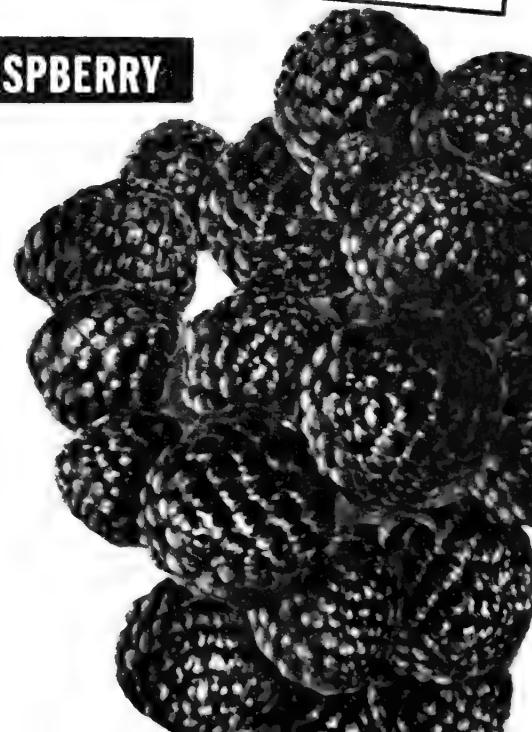
### BIG 2-YEAR TRANSPLANTS

Order No. 6711

**10 for \$2.25; 25 for \$5.35**

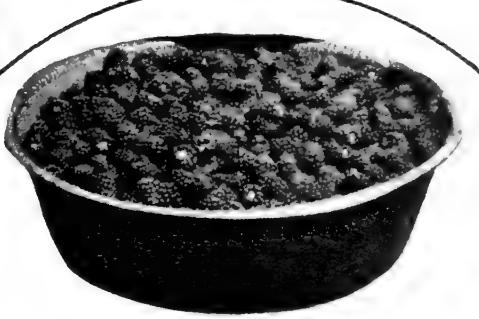
**50 for \$10.25; 100 for \$19.50**

**All Postpaid**



# RED RASPBERRIES

All our Red Raspberry plants are doubly inspected to assure complete freedom from Mosaic virus disease.



## Two Full Crops A Year INDIAN SUMMER RED RASPBERRY

**6705.** Yes, your Indian Summer patch will give you **two big crops of delicious fruit each year**... one in June and July and another one in the Autumn. They are big berries; big, red, juicy, and have a wonderful fine flavor. Indian Summer plants are extra hardy, disease resistant, and bear very heavily. **Our husky, vigorous plants will develop fast for you, often start bearing the first year.** Order early so you can give them an early start.

**Heavy No. 1 Plants, Postpaid**  
**10 for \$2.00; 25 for \$4.60; 50 for \$8.30**

## BLACKBERRIES



**6815. ALFRED BLACKBERRY.** This new HARDY Blackberry came from Minnesota and will stand 35 degrees below zero. Needs no winter protection. Berries are much larger than the ordinary sort, practically coreless and very sweet. Ten days earlier than Eldorado and will bear abundantly the second year. (Prices below.)

**6816. ELDORADO BLACKBERRY.** The large size Blackberry, shiny black and deliciously sweet. Bears young and heavily. One of the very hardest and will grow far north as well as in the warmer climates. Very productive and once established it never fails to ripen a fine crop.

### ALFRED AND ELDORADO BLACKBERRIES

Postpaid	Per 10	Per 25	Per 50	Per 100
Heavy No. 1 Plants	\$1.39	\$2.75	\$5.25	\$9.75

## HUSKY THRIFTY PLANTS

You want heavily rooted, ready-to-grow plants for your berry patch. We've got them for you. Hardy, outdoor grown stock. Thrifty and vigorous for faster growth, earlier production and really bumper yields. But, we urge you to order early. We're afraid of shortages as the season advances. Don't delay. Send your order now.

## BLACK RASPBERRIES



### MORRISON BLACK RASPBERRIES

**6702.** Here is the largest blackcap raspberry ever grown. It's new! Outstanding! It's black as coal! Very few seeds. Berries are nearly an inch in diameter. A vigorous grower. Discovered growing wild in Pennsylvania and introduced by a County Agent. A row of these will give you the richest pie, sauce and juice you ever imagined. We want everybody to have at least ten of these in their berry patch.

**Heavy No. 1 Plants, Postpaid**  
**10 for \$1.95; 25 for \$3.95;**  
**50 for \$7.65; 100 for \$14.00**



## DEWBERRIES

### LUCRETIA

**6810.** Most popular and best variety. The berries are very much larger than the common sorts. They are jet black, deliciously sweet and ripen 2 weeks earlier than blackberries. They are easy to pick and the crate fills faster because of their large size. They are thrifty growers, hardy, practically free from all disease.

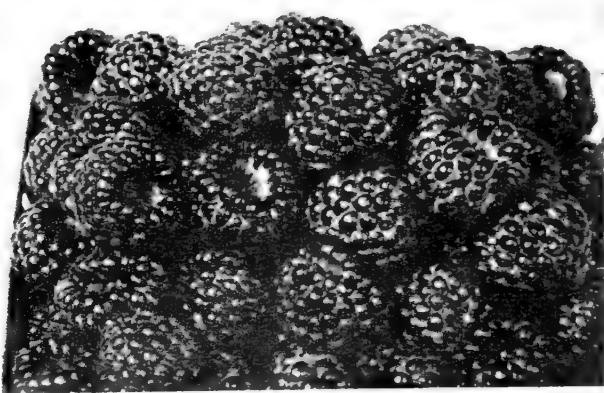
### HEAVY NO. 1 PLANTS

**10 for \$1.50; 25 for \$3.25;**  
**50 for \$6.00, Postpaid**

**6811. GARDENIA DEWBERRY.** Same big, sweet, jet black berries and thrifty production, except it is thornless.

### HEAVY NO. 1 PLANTS

**Each 25c; 5 for \$1.00; 10 for \$1.85**  
**Postpaid**

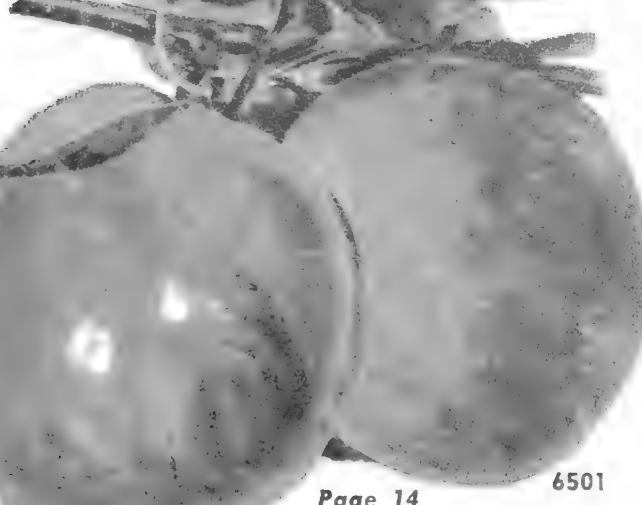
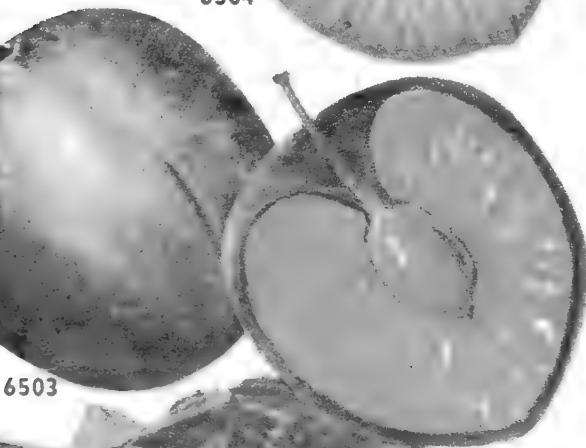
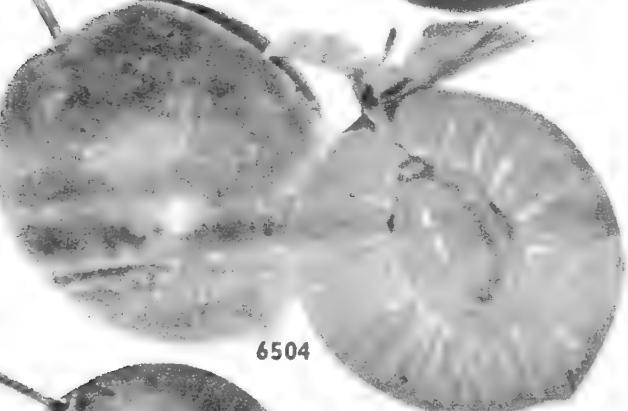
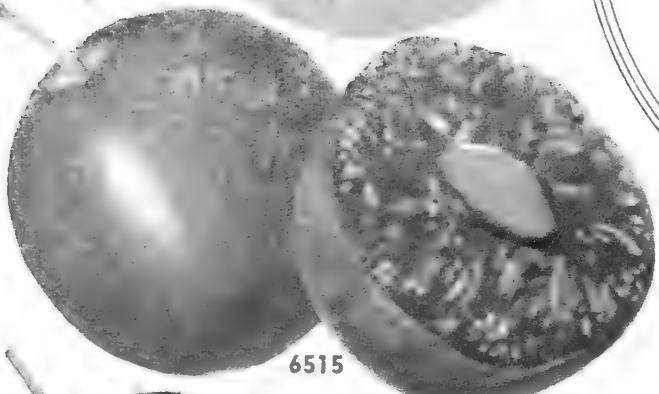


### BRISTOL BLACK RASPBERRY

**6708.** A new variety which will be a favorite just as fast as you folks discover its excellent qualities. Produces tremendous crops of large, jet-black berries. They are firm, sweet, almost seedless, and have a grand flavor. The plants are very vigorous healthy growers, hardy, and succeed over a very wide area. You probably can't beat Bristol for a mid-season black raspberry. Order them with our assurance of complete satisfaction. Send your order early.

**Heavy No. 1 Plants, Postpaid**  
**5 for \$1.00; 10 for \$1.70;**  
**25 for \$3.85; 50 for \$7.45** Page 13

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*Earl May*

## PLUM THICKET

The Plum is our hardiest, most dependable fruit. But remember, plums like company of their own kind. They need company, too, because it is cross pollination that makes great yields. Every twig becomes loaded, the branches bend with the weight. That's the result of planting several varieties, including a good pollenizer. We have selected 4 of the finest and one of them (Toka) is the extra pollenizer you need. Plant them and have lots of luscious, juicy fruit.

1 MONITOR 1 SAPA 1 TOKA 1 WANETA

Order No. 6572  
All 4 husky 3-4 ft. trees.  
Prepaid for Only \$4.50

Order No. 6573  
All 4 Big Quick Crop  
5 to 6 ft. Trees  
Not Prepaid. \$7.45

### MONITOR

#### The Largest Red Plum!

6520. What a plum! Big and red, sweet and juicy and as large as a crab apple. The firm yellow flesh is very delicious. Proved to be one of the sweetest plums at the Iowa Agriculture College trial plots. A prolific bearer and very hardy. (Prices below.)

### SAPA

6515. THE JUICIEST PURPLE MEATED PLUM! The purple-black juicy flesh of Sapa makes it a favorite for preserves and jam. An extremely hardy Hansen hybrid. Very early. The freestone, large plums hang in heavy clusters and come every year for sure. Usually starts bearing the first year after planting. (Prices below.)

### TOKA

6504. A FINE POLLENIZER. (Hanska Type) Not the largest plum but certainly one of the finest flavored you've ever eaten. Delectable Apricot flavor! Excellent for eating fresh, for canning, preserves, and jelly. The tree is very strong and thrifty, produces the extra pollen needed for other plum trees and bears heavily to boot.

### WANETA

6503. THE GREAT CANNING PLUM. A great, big, red plum and one of the hardest of all. Waneta is sweet and delicious. Thousands of our customers will tell you Waneta is the heaviest bearer of them all. It ripens in mid-season. (Prices below.)

### RED WING

6501. HARDY CLEAR TO CANADA. Very large, yellow meated plum, often 2½ inches through. The flavor is excellent, too, and it is a very heavy bearer. (Prices below.)

## PLUM TREE PRICES

Your choice, Monitor, Sapa, Toka, Waneta, Red Wing and Stanley.

2 year Size, Well Branched Trees  
Alike or Assorted

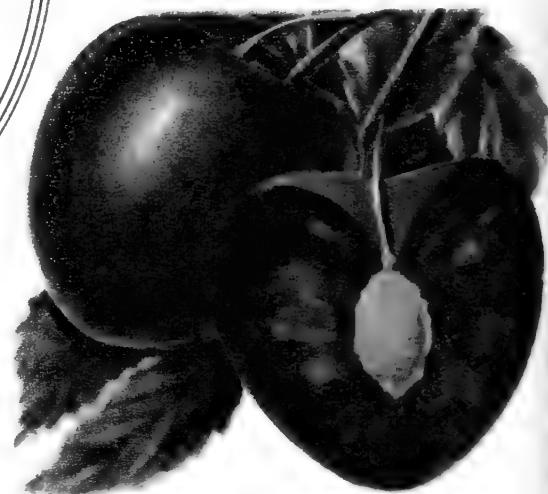
3 to 4 ft. Standard, Prepaid  
Each \$1.40    3 for \$3.95    6 for \$7.65

4 to 5 ft. Select, Prepaid  
Each \$1.70    3 for \$4.85    6 for \$9.35

5 to 6 ft. Quick Crop, Not Prepaid  
Each \$2.00    3 for \$5.75    6 for \$11.20

## TART and DELICIOUS

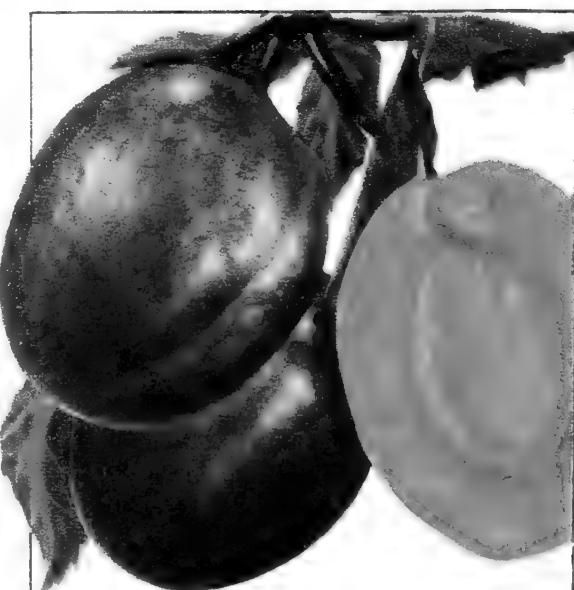
**PLUM BUTTER, JELL, PUDDING.** No reason why you can't have plenty of plums for all the good things they make. A few trees and you'll be picking plums by the basketful. The first big yield will more than pay for the cost of your trees. From then on, for years to come, you'll have an abundance of fruit and the only cost will be your time in picking it.



## BLOOD FLESHED BUSH CHERRY PLUM

6825. A wonderful Cherry Plum for all the northern states of the Great Plains. Grows in bush form. Will be loaded with fruit the second year and often bears first year. The fruit has a dark purple, glossy skin and rich, purplish red flesh with juice literally dripping from it. It's a freestone, about an inch in diameter, with a small pit. For eating fresh, sauce, jelly and for heavy bearing, nothing equals this one.

Selected 2 to 3 ft. Size  
Each \$1.55; 2 for \$2.80, Postpaid



## STANLEY

6508. Newest and best of the prune plums. Often bears the third year. Very hardy. The skin is purple-blue, the flesh rich and sweet. A freestone which colors wine purple all the way through when canned and retains its shape and skin. A thrifty grower and tremendous producer. See prices at the left.

## Peaches and Cream!

AND HOME CANNED PEACHES.  
So luscious, so plentiful, and so very inexpensive when you grow your own. Plant plenty for your family. Plant Peach trees this spring.

### PEACH ORCHARD SPECIAL

A very special collection to bring you the luscious fruit of every one of the wonderful peaches pictured at the right in color. You'll have plenty of the finest peaches that grow. The price is special, too. You will get the following:

2 Polly  
2 Elberta  
1 Red Haven  
1 J. H. Hale

#### ALL PREPAID

No. 6470. 6 Trees, 2 to 3 ft.	\$3.00
No. 6471. 6 Trees, 3 to 4 ft.	5.10
No. 6472. 6 Trees, 4 to 5 ft.	7.35

## POLLY

6413. A great big peach and a beauty, too. A perfect free-stone, white flesh, firm but very juicy. Our customers say it is the most delicious peach they've ever eaten. Polly stays firm the way the home canners want their peaches to stay. It has completely proved its hardiness, standing 15 to 20 below zero. A consistent heavy yielder, bears when others fail. We certainly want you to have Polly Peach on your place.

## GOLDEN JUBILEE

6405. New, early yellow meated free-stone which ripens about 25 days ahead of Elberta. A large peach of fine quality in both flavor and texture. Colors to a beautiful yellow and red.

## HALE HAVEN

6406. A great big, round free-stone with extra sweetness and full flavor. Orange-yellow deeply overspread with red. About 12 days earlier than Elberta.

### PRICES ON ALL PEACH TREES Alike or Assorted

#### STURDY 2-YEAR WELL BRANCHED TREES

All Prepaid	Each	3	6	12
2 to 3 ft. Standard	\$0.60	\$1.70	\$3.20	\$6.00
3 to 4 ft. Select	1.00	2.85	5.40	10.20
4 to 5 ft. Quick Crop	1.40	4.00	7.75	14.75

## EARLY PEACH ORCHARD

Order No. 6474. SPECIAL! One each of these 3 great early peaches: POLLY, RED HAVEN, and GOLDEN JUBILEE. 3 to 4 ft. Trees. **ALL 3 ONLY \$2.70, PREPAID.**

## RED HAVEN

6415. RED HAVEN. A luscious beauty! Real early, yellow meated, almost solid red. A great big freestone with firm, sweetly delicious flesh. Hardy and vigorous for yearly bumper yields.

## ELBERTA

6403. You all know Elberta, the standard market and canning freestone. Firm yellow flesh luscious flavor. Big and round and yellow with red cheeks. Bears young, yields abundantly.

## J. H. HALE

6407. Largest peach of all. A mammoth golden yellow free-stone blushed red. The yellow flesh is solid, yet juicy and tender and free from stringiness. A truly great peach.

## APRICOTS

Easy to grow and brings you delicious fruit just after the cherries and before the early peaches are ready. Home grown tree ripened Apricots are a real delicacy. The trees are also strikingly beautiful in bloom. For sturdy, well rooted, heavy bearing trees, send your order to us. Plant as least 2 for cross pollination.

## NEW MANCHU

6433. Brought from northern China. Hardest of all Apricots and can be planted north into Minnesota. The fruit is large and the crop heavy.

## MOORPARK

6431. An excellent variety, finest flavored of all the apricots. Large fruit is deep yellow with a red cheek. Grows about the size of a peach tree, bears heavily.

## APRICOT SPECIAL

One each of Chinese Golden, New Manchu, and Moorpark.

**No. 6440—3 Trees, 3 to 4 ft. Size... \$3.80**  
**No. 6441—3 Trees, 4 to 6 ft. Size... 5.35**

#### PREPAID

PREPAID	Each	Per 3
2 to 3 ft. Size	\$1.00	\$2.85
3 to 4 ft. Size	1.40	3.95
4 to 6 ft. Size	1.95	5.50

## PRICES

On Chinese Golden, New Manchu, and Moorpark

#### 2 YEAR SIZE—WELL BRANCHED TREES

## CHINESE GOLDEN

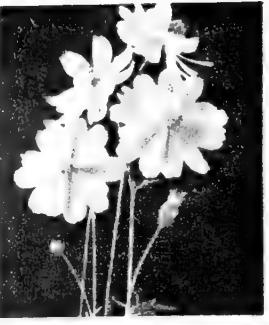
6434. Very large fruit, often 2 inches in diameter, and of excellent flavor. Very hardy and bears heavily. A wonderfully fine Apricot.



Giant Pinkie



Sensation Mix



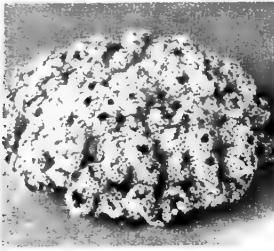
Orange Flare

## COSMOS—The Favorite of Generations

**1086. ORANGE FLARE.** Showy Golden Orange flowers. Grows 3 ft. tall. Blooms early. Popular everywhere, especially where very early bloom is desired. Lovely for bouquets. Pkt. 10c; 3 Pkts. 25c, Postpaid.

**1083. SENSATION MIX.** The giant Cosmos. Largest flowering of all. Blooms 4 to 6 inches across. Comes in pure white, deep pink, and crimson. Pkt. 10c; 3 Pkts. 25c, Postpaid.

**1080. GIANT PINKIE.** Rich clear bright pink blooms often 4 to 5 inches across. The finest pink cosmos yet introduced. Pkt. 15c; 2 for 25c, Postpaid.



ALYSSUM SWEET

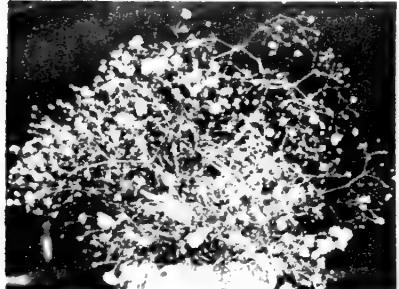
Best for edging and borders. Fragrant and always full of bloom.

Pkt. 10c; 3 for 25c, Postpaid

**1015. CARPET OF SNOW.** (4 in.) Covers the ground with fragrant white blooms.

**1014. DWARF YELLOW.** (6 in.) Rich golden yellow blooms. Very compact.

**1017. FINEST MIXED.** 4-6 in. Yellow, lavender and white honey scented blooms.



BABY'S BREATH

**1051. (Gypsophila.)** 18 in. Pure white, graceful, dainty, fairy-like blooms in large clusters. Fine for bouquet work. Pkt. 10c; 3 for 25c, Postpaid.



**1077. CALLIOPSIS.** These gay colored two-toned flowers are produced in great clusters on bushy plants. Their tall stout stems make them fine for cutting. The more you pick the harder they bloom. Pkt. 10c; 3 for 25c, Postpaid.



**1111. DAHLIA, UHWIN HYBRID.** (10 to 15 in.) Brilliant Dwarf. Early-flowering, semi-double. Lots of showy colors. Easy to grow, excellent for cut flowers. Pkt. 10c; 3 for 25c; Postpaid.



**1069. CASTOR BEAN' (Ricinus.)** Giant plants, ornamental foliage. Grows 6 to 8 ft. high. Some say they keep moles and grasshoppers away. Pkt. 5c; ounce 15c; 1/4 lb. 50c, Postpaid.



AGERATUM

A free blooming hedging plant with dense heads of fluffy flowers in tones of blue, lavender, or pink.

**1011. FAIRY PINK.** (6 in.) Soft rose pink.

**1013. BLUE STAR.** (8 in.) Pure azure blue.

**1012. PURPLE.** (8 in.) Vivid dark purple.

**PRICES:** Pkt. 10c; Any 3 Pkts. 25c; 6 Pkts. 45c, Postpaid.

## FLOWER SEED PRICES

(Unless Otherwise Noted)

Pkt. 10c; Any 3 Pkts. 25c; Any 6 Pkts. 45c, Postpaid



BRIGHT EYES PETUNIA

**1224. (New 1946 Bronze Medal Winner.)** A most compact and upright growing Petunia. Sensationally lovely flowers of clear, light rose-pink with a white throat come on in abundance. Bright attractive flowers held well above the foliage. Grows about 10 inches tall. Most excellent for bedding, edging and window boxes. Packet 25c, Postpaid.

## OTHER PETUNIAS

Large flowering, low growing, generous blooming, compact bush-like plants. Grow 8 to 10 inches high. Blooms are large.

Prices, Pkt. 20c; 2 Pkts. 35c, Postpaid

**1214—Velvet Ball**—Deep Velvet Mahogany Red

**1213—English Violet**—Velvety Violet Blue

**1212—Glow**—Dazzling Carmine Red

Order No. 42—3 Pkts. (one Pkt. of each) 49c



Gayety Carnation Pinks

## GAYETY CARNATION PINKS

Pictured at the left.

**1259. NEW DIANTHUS STRAIN.** For a fascinating display of delightfully fragrant pinks, plant this grand Gayety mixture. The beautifully fringed flowers come in a thrilling variety of pink, red, white and maroon colorings. The low growing plants produce blooms very freely. Long season of bloom. Pkt. 15c; 2 for 25c, Postpaid.

**1258. WESTWOOD BEAUTY PINKS.** This taller growing hybrid has the largest flowers of any Chinese Pink. Colors range from deepest crimson to brilliant red. Long stiff stem for fine bouquets. Pkt. 20c; 2 for 35c, Postpaid.



**1119. DAISY, EVER-LASTING.** (15 in.) Fluffy double flowers, 1½ to 2 inches across. White and Pink colors. Excellent for winter bouquets. Pkt. 10c; 3 for 25c, Postpaid.



**1057. CALENDULA. (Pot Marigold.)** 18 inch. A favorite mixture of the finest new colors, including apricot, orange, canary yellow, dark mahogany. Pkt. 10c; 3 for 25c, Postpaid.

## MARIGOLD

### SPECIAL MIXTURE

**1180. EARL MAY'S SPECIAL MIXTURE.** The finest assortment of all the large flowering Marigolds. Deep Mahogany, Orange, Bright Yellow and all hues in between. Odorless foliage. Enjoy the finest Marigolds. Pkt. 15c; 2 for 25c, Postpaid.

## ASTERS

### SPECIAL MIXTURE

**1046. QUEEN OF THE MARKET MIXED.** (15 to 18 in.) Earliest flowers. Favorite colors. Crimson, Purple, Pink, and Light Blue. Pkt. 10c; 1/2 oz. 35c, Postpaid.

**1043. MAYVIEW MIXTURE.** (1½ to 2½ ft.) Our choice of the grandest rainbow colors. This super mixture gives you some of all the most popular kinds and colors. Pkt. 15c; 1/2 oz. 35c, Postpaid.



**1103. CUP FLOWER.** (4 to 6 in.) Delicate lavender-blue cup-shaped flowers with clear yellow centers. Plants are dwarf and compact, literally covered with blooms all summer. Pkt. 10c; 3 for 25c, Postpaid.



**1163. LINARIA, FAIRY BOUQUET (Baby Snap).** 10 to 12 in. Dainty Snapdragons like flower of pastel shades. Blooms in about 8 weeks. Pkt. 10c; 3 for 25c, Postpaid.



**1055. BURNING BUSH (Kochia).** 2½ to 3 ft. Annual hedge plants. Resembles a close-clipped evergreen. Trim any shape you like. Blood-red in the fall. Pkt. 10c; 3 Pkts. 25c, Postpaid.



## GIANT RUFFLED PETUNIAS

Immense blooms, delicately veined and delightfully ruffled. And what gorgeous colors! You will have an endless parade of beautiful flowers clear up until frost.

Pkt. 20c each, Postpaid

- 1236. CRIMSON GLORY
- 1237. GIANT WHITE
- 1238. THEODOSIA

1239. GIANT RUFFLED PETUNIA MIXTURE. A grand mixture of the three pictured here. Pkt. 15c, Postpaid.



**ENJOY ALL THREE.** Order No. 22. One packet each of Crimson Glory, Giant White, and Theodosia. All 3 Packets only 45c, Postpaid.

## LITTLE GIANT PETUNIA

1234. Deep throated flowers are ruffled and waved, and completely cover the plant. Grow 8 to 12 inches high. Almost every conceivable shade and color in this fine mixture. Pkt. 15c, Postpaid.

## RAINBOW PETUNIAS

Brilliant flaming color, beautiful form, and abundant bloom . . . from these Rainbow Petunias.

Pkt. 10c, Postpaid

- 1215. FLAMING VELVET
- 1229. BALCONY BLUE
- 1219. ROSY MORN

1231. RAINBOW PETUNIA MIXTURE. Our own mixture of six of the finest Balcony and Bedding Petunias. Pkt. 15c, Postpaid.

Order No. 41. ONE PACKET EACH of Flaming Velvet, Balcony Blue, and Rosy Morn. All 3 Packets only 25c, Postpaid.

## DOUBLE PETUNIA

1240. Large Double Blooms in a wide range of varied and exciting colors. Pkt. 20c; 2 Pkts. 35c, Postpaid.



1173. GIANT SUNSET MARIGOLD. One of the largest of all the Marigolds. Very double blooms often 5 inches across. Long stems (3½ ft.) Pkt. 10c, Postpaid.

1172. MAMMOTH MISSION. A Marigold of amazing size. Intensely double blooms are 4 to 5 inches across (3 ft.). Pkt. 15c, Postpaid.

1176. POT O' GOLD MARIGOLD. Blooms 2 weeks earlier than others. Great big, double blooms come on profusely until frost. Pkt. 15c, Postpaid.

88. GIANT MARIGOLD COLLECTION. 1 Pkt. each of Giant Sunset, Mammoth Mission, and Pot O' Gold Marigolds. ALL 3 BIG PKTS. ONLY 30c, POSTPAID.

## GIANT FLOWERING ASTERS

The three giant blooming Asters, pictured below are Wilt-Resistant and really easy to grow. Long stemmed, ideal for beautiful bouquets.

1031. A Mixture of all 3 Asters. Big Pkt. Only 10c. Postpaid.



1027.

1028.

1027. Pink	1028. Crimson
1030. Purple	
Pkt. 10c, Postpaid	
33. One packet each of 3 above.	
All 3 Only 19c, Postpaid	

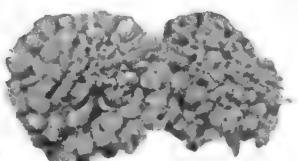


1175 HARMONY HYBRID MARIGOLD. Abundant bloom, only 10 inches high. Ideal for borders.

Pkt. 15c, Postpaid



1178. BUTTERBALL MARIGOLD. Canary yellow blooms only 1½ inches across, with crested centers. Compact, bushy growth. 8 inches high. Pkt. 10c, Postpaid.



1179. SCARLET GLOW. Grows only 10 inches high, spreads to 18 inches wide. Perfect double flowers of most brilliant red. Pkt. 15c, Postpaid.



## PANSIES

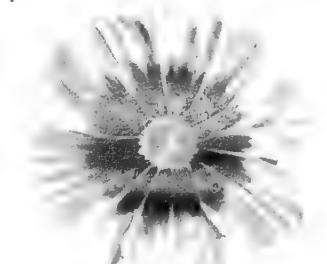
1210. SWISS GIANT MIXED. Largest flowered, in a grand color mixture. Pkt. 15c; 2 for 25c, Postpaid.

1211. Good Luck, Mixed. Fine mix of best kinds and colors of Pansies. Pkt. 10c; 3 for 25c, Postpaid.



## VIOLA

1518. Little "baby face" pansies, ever-blooming and perennial. Gayest and brightest colors. Pkt. 15c; 2 for 25c, Postpaid.



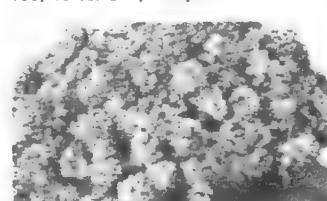
## COSMOS RADIANCE

1079. A new, sensational color combination! Blooms are large, come in great profusion. Truly a flower of exquisite beauty. Pkt. 25c, Postpaid.



## FOUR O'CLOCK

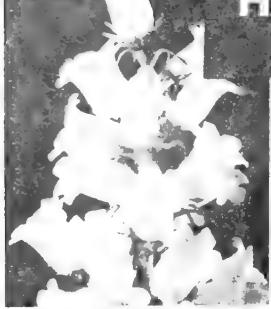
1124. Bush-like plants with hundreds of star-like flowers in all colors. Open at Four O'Clock. Grow 2½ ft. high. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 20c, Postpaid.



1016. VIOLET QUEEN ALYSSUM. Compact plants are very dwarf. They hide themselves with sweetly scented bloom. Immensely attractive edging. Pkt. 15c, Postpaid.

**SPECIAL** Order No. 55. 1 Pkt. each of Radiance Cosmos, 4 O'Clock, and Violet Queen Alyssum. (a 50c Value) **ALL 3 FOR ONLY 40c, POSTPAID.**

# HARDY PERENNIAL FLOWER SEEDS



CANTERBURY BELLS

1503. Beautiful bell-shaped blooms throughout the entire season. Very prolific bloom. Grows 24 to 30 inches high. A special mixture to bring you all three colors: Pink, Blue, and White.



DOUBLE HOLLYHOCK

1517. Densely double blooms in a rainbow of loveliest colors. Grows 5 to 6 ft. and the graceful spikes are lined with flowers. Blooms freely even during hot, dry weather.

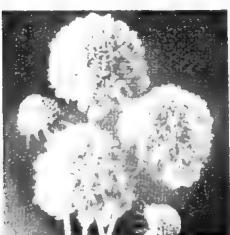


PACIFIC HYBRID DELPHINIUM

1508. Giant strain of tall growing Delphinium with very double, very large flowers. Pale blues, deepest indigos, royal purples with pastel shades of pink with mauve and lavender blippings. Pkt. 25c; 2 Pkts. 45c, Postpaid.



FOXGLOVE



1266. SCABIOSA. Pin Cushion flower. Giant Hybrids. (2 to 2½ ft.) Improved large flowering strain. Blooms from mid-summer until frost. Fine for cutting. Mixed colors include lavender, blue, blue-black, purple, pink, salmon-rose, and white. Pkt. 10c; 3 for 25c, Postpaid.



1271. (Salpiglossis). Exciting range of color combinations. Red, purples, blues, yellows. Delicately veined. Abundant bloom, fine for bouquets. Pkt. 10c; 3 Pkts. 25c, Postpaid.

## SURPRISE MIXTURE

1328. This Surprise Garden Mixture will delight you. Armfuls of bloom. Think of it! 80 different varieties or more for only 10c per Pkt., ounce 35c, Postpaid.



PAINTED DAISY

1507. (Pyrethrum.) Very beautiful and always popular flower for abundant bloom in early June, off-and-on all summer. Excellent for cutting. Pink and Red bloom.

1506. SHASTA DAISY. Large, dazzling white flowers on long stems. Blooms very freely and is one of the best of all cut flowers.



PERENNIAL SWEET PEA

1502. Larger than the annual. Blooms in abundance in spring and early summer. Long stems fine for cutting. Mixture of Red, Pink, and White.

## PERENNIAL COLLECTION

1520. One Packet Each of these 8 Perennial Flowers. (Regular Value \$1.10.)

Columbine	Sweet William
Painted Daisy	Oriental Poppy
Perennial Sweet Pea	Hollyhock
Delphinium Hybrid	Viola

85c Postpaid

## Spider Plant CLEOME

1264. New and unusual, easy to grow. Huge heads of salmon pink flowers from early summer until late fall. Fine for tall borders or hedges. Grows 4 ft. High.

Pkt. 15c; 2 Pkts. 25c, Postpaid



ORNAMENTAL GOURDS

1338. Small fruited in many odd shapes and varying colors. Excellent for table decorations, bird houses, dippers. Grow them on your back yard fence. Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c, Postpaid.

## GIANT RUFFLED SWEET PEAS.

1326. A new race of large ruffled, sweet scented double blooms. 6 different ruffled colors. Pkt. only 15c; ounce 45c, Postpaid.

## ANNUAL POPPIES



California Wonder

1256. Most easily grown and sure to bloom early for you and keep it up until frost. A grand mixture of rich yellow and bright orange colors. Grow about 1 foot tall. Excellent for cut flowers.

Pkt. 10c; 3 for 25c, Postpaid.

1255. SWEETHEART. Gorgeous double flowers of flaming rose, crimson and yellow, crinkled and fluted to look like double begonias. Pkt. 15c; 2 for 25c, Postpaid.

1253. SHIRLEY FINEST MIXED POPPIES. (18 inches) A grand assortment of the finest gay colors. Extra large flowering with delicate satiny petals.

Pkt. 10c; 3 for 25c, Postpaid.

## NEW AND NOVEL ZINNIAS

1305. LITTLE RED RIDING HOOD. Baby Zinnia. Literally covered with hundreds of scarlet-red flowers.

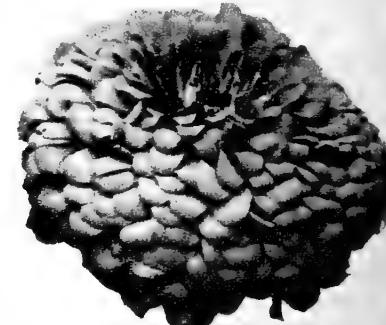
Pkt. 10c; 3 Pkts. 25c, Postpaid

1299. FANTASY MIXED. A beautiful mixture of these Unusual Zinnias. A grand array of the brightest colors.

Pkt. 10c; 3 Pkts. 25c, Postpaid

## FLOWER SEED PRICES

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Packet 10c; 3 for 25c, Postpaid



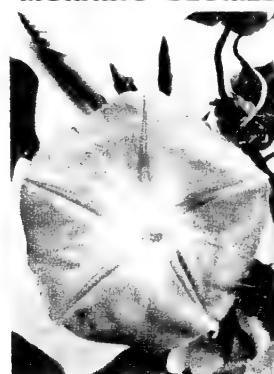
CALIFORNIA GIANT ZINNIAS

1297. A fine mixture of the largest Zinnias of them all. Flowers often 4 to 6 inches across, and they are very prolific with bloom clear up until frost. Many really choice colors. Pkt. 10c; 3 Pkts. 25c, Postpaid.

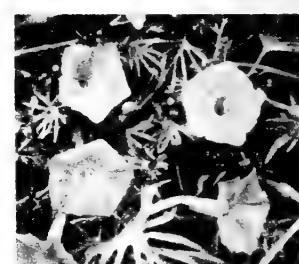
1291. CROWN OF GOLD MIXTURE. (3 ft.) Beautiful two-tone Zinnias. New pastel tints. 4 to 5 inch blooms. Pkt. 15c; 2 Pkts. 25c, Postpaid

## ANNUAL VINES

### MORNING GLORIES

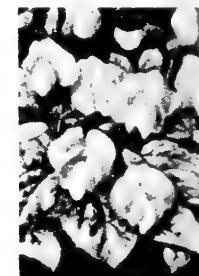


SCARLET O'HARA



CARDINAL CLIMBER

1333. Fiery red, trumpet shaped flowers cover the fern-like vining growth of this vine. Grows very quickly, to a height of 20 ft. Pkt. 10c; 3 Pkts. 25c, Postpaid.

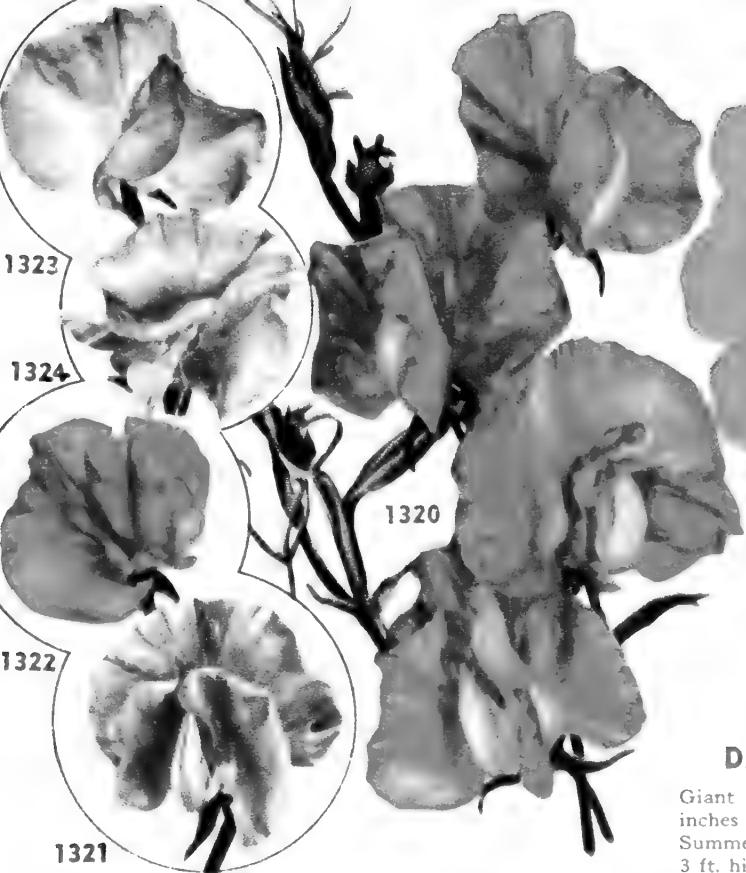


SCARLET RUNNER

1336 (Bean) Brilliant sprays of scarlet bloom cover the growth which reaches 10 to 12 ft. Very rapid grower. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c, Postpaid.



MOONFLOWER. Blooms in evening and night. Grows 30 ft. high. 1335. Heavenly Blue or 1334. White. Pkt. 10c; 3 for 25c, Postpaid.



### Cuthbertson SWEET PEAS

Larger Flowers! Longer Stems! Really Heat Resistant!

A great new strain of Sweet Peas, vastly improved in every way. The flowers are larger. Stems are longer. Vines make sturdier, healthier growth. And, because they so effectively resist heat, they bloom over a very much longer period. Colors are sensationaly new and finer, too. We promise you'll be thrilled with them. Order early so you can plant them early.

Packet Each 15c, Postpaid

- 1320. Coline
- 1321. Danny
- 1322. Kenneth
- 1323. Lois
- 1324. Frank G.

Order No. 1319. CUTHBERTSON MIXTURE, some of all 5 Cuthbertson Sweet Peas. Big Jumbo Size Pkt. 25c, Postpaid.

Early Flowering

### SPENCER SWEET PEAS

First of all the annual flowers to bloom in the Spring. Choose from these delightfully fragrant large flowered, prolific varieties.

Pkt. 10c; 3 for 25c, Postpaid

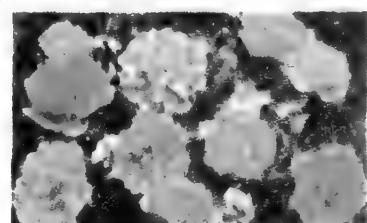
- 1313. NAVY BLUE
- 1314. SHIRLEY TEMPLE, pink
- 1315. WHITE CHAMPION
- 1316. ORANGE KING
- 1317. VELVET MONARCH, red

1327. EARLY FLOWERING SPENCER MIXTURE. A grand mixture of all 5 varieties. Pkt. 10c; ounce 40c, Postpaid.

### SALVIA

1262. Globe of fire. Scarlet Sage. 1½ to 2 ft. The best brilliant bedding plants. Can be used for cutting. Bushy plants densely covered with large, upright spikes of fiery scarlet flowers. Fine for shady places.

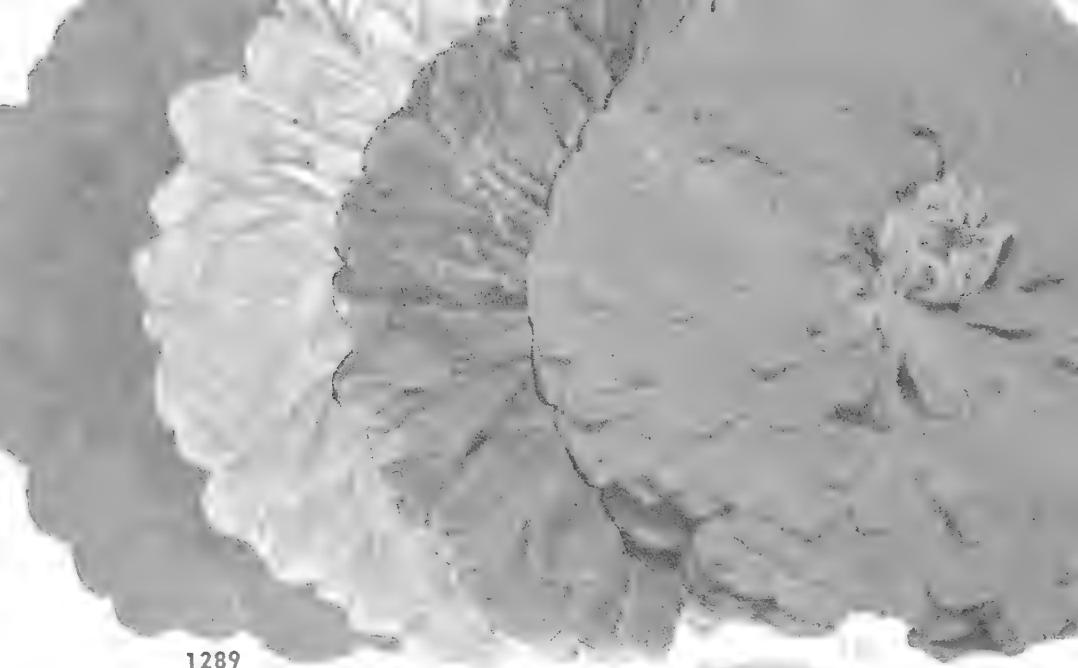
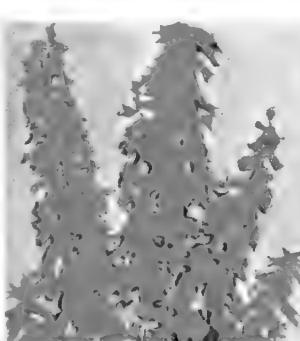
Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 75c, Postpaid



### DOUBLE ROSE MOSS

1242. (Portulaca) Special double strain in a brilliant mixture of colors. Blooms continuously even on the hottest, sunniest days and even on poor soil. Plant a beautiful carpet of double bloom for your sunny spots. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 65c.

1243. CRIMSON JEWEL Portulaca. Single flowers of bright crimson often 4 inches across. Blooms profusely just like the common kinds. Pkt. 20c; 2 for 35c, Postpaid.



### SUPER GIANT DAHLIA FLOWERED ZINNIA

Giant size, very double blooms are often 5 to 7 inches across. Blooms profusely and continuously all Summer until frost. Wonderful for bouquets. Grows 3 ft. high. Pkt. 10c, Postpaid.

1283. ILLUMINATION

1289. ORIOLE

1286. PURPLE PRINCE

1287. FIRE FLAME

1290. GRAND MIXTURE. Some of all 4 Zinnias listed above. Pkt. 10c; ½ ounce 50c, Postpaid.

### SPECIAL

Order No. 35

One packet each of all 4 Zinnias pictured above.

A 40c Value

ALL 4  
ONLY 29c  
POSTPAID

1283

1286



### PASTEL BOUQUET ZINNIAS

1306. The wide variety of soft pastel colors of these bouquet Zinnias will surely delight you. They bloom profusely and are unexcelled for cutting. Pkt. 15c; 2 for 25c, Postpaid.



### SNAPDRAGONS

Extra large flowers on long, wiry stems. Beautiful bouquet bloom from Summer 'til frost. Rust-proof varieties sure to bloom abundantly.

Packet 10c, Postpaid

- 1025. INDIAN SUMMER
- 1021. RED ROCKET
- 1022. SWINGTIME

Order No. 47. One packet each of above. All 3 only 25c, Postpaid.

SNAPDRAGON MIXTURE. (Order No. 1020). A grand all-color snapdragon mixture. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 50c, Postpaid.

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### GIANT FANTASY ZINNIAS

1302. Large flowers, petals so very attractively curled and quilled that they resemble chrysanthemums. Pastel shades with tones of apricot, terra-cotta, burnt orange, soft rose, and peach. Solid colors and combinations of 2 or more colors. 3 ft. high. Pkt. 15c; 2 Pkts. 25c, Postpaid.



### BUTTON ZINNIAS

1303. A fine mixture to bring you all bright Zinnia colors in the small "button" type blooms. Very fine for cutting. Pkt. 10c; 3 Pkts. 25c, Postpaid.

## Mrs. May's GARDEN GAY



### ORDER NO. 91

- 1297. ZINNIA—California Giant Mixed.
- 1231. PETUNIA—Balcony Mixed.
- 1020. SNAPDRAGON—Rust Proof Mixed.
- 1176. MARIGOLD—Pot O'Gold.
- 1057. CALENDULA—Favorite Colors.
- 1327. SWEET PEAS—Early Flowering Spencer Mixed.
- 1086. COSMOS—Orange Flare.
- 1031. ASTERS—W. R. Mammoth Mixed.
- 1063. COCKSCOMB—Tall Crimson.
- 1159. LARKSPUR—Giant Imperial Mixed.
- 1051. BABY'S BREATH—Pure White.
- 1303. ZINNIA—Buttonhole Mixed.

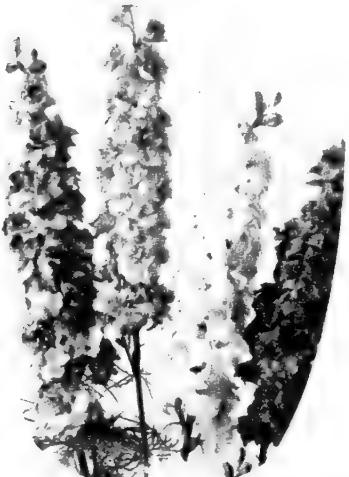
(Regular \$1.20 Value)

**12 Big Full Size Packets Postpaid, only..... 85c**



### STRAWFLOWER

1263. (Helichrysum.) 2 to 2½ ft. You can't beat these for Winter bouquets. Colors, brilliant rich yellow, red, rich violet, straw color, and glistening white. Large double blooms. Pkt. 10c; 3 for 25c, Postpaid.



### LARKSPUR IMPERIAL MIXED

1159. Tall spikes, gorgeous colors, finest for cutting. A grand special mixture of the very finest colors.

Pkt. 10c; ¼ oz. 35c, Postpaid



### VERBENAS

Bloom generously and continuously, grow 6 to 12 inches and spread to 2 ft. Pkt. 10c; 3 for 25c, Postpaid.

**1277. Crimson 1279. Blue  
1275. Pink**

**1280. MIXED VERBENA COLORS.** A grand mixture of the best colors. Pkt. 10c; 3 for 25c, Postpaid.

## NASTURTIUMS



### BEST DOUBLE SWEET SCENTED KINDS

Beautiful double blooms and sweet fragrance make the new Gleam Nasturtiums a favorite everywhere. Will grow in semi-shade and furnish cut flowers all Summer long.

**Pkt. 10c; oz. 35c, Postpaid**

**1198. GOLDEN GLEAM.** Double brilliant golden yellow. Very fragrant.

**1201. DOUBLE GLEAM HYBRIDS.** A grand combination of all the most beautiful colors. Fine long stems, double sweet scented blooms for bouquets all Summer.

**1202. SCARLET GLEAM.** A mass of rich double scarlet flowers throughout the Summer.



### ANNUAL PHLOX

*Gay Colors for the Garden*

Grows 10 to 12 inches tall. The brightest colored annual that grows.

**1247. DRUMMONDI MIXED.** Bigger blooms, more and better colors. The finest mixture of improved strains. Pkt. 10c; 3 for 25c, Postpaid.



### BACHELOR'S BUTTON

(Centaurea.) Continuous bloom. Fine for garden decoration and cutting. Easy to grow.

**1071. JUBILEE GEM.** The best rich blue. Very double, vigorous grower and bloomer. Pkt. 10c; 3 for 25c, Postpaid.

**1070. MIXED COLORS.** Purple, Crimson, Deep Lavender, Dark Lilac, Blue and Pink Bachelor Buttons. All in one packet. Pkt. 10c; 3 Pkts. 25c, Postpaid.



### BALSAM

**1053. NEW BUSH FLOWERED.** (12 to 15 in.) Showy clusters of double rose-like flowers in shades of white, rose and red. A rosebushlike plant loaded with blooms. Thrives anywhere. Makes nice cemetery planting.

Big Pkt. 10c; 3 Pkts. 25c, Postpaid.



### MIDGET ZINNIAS

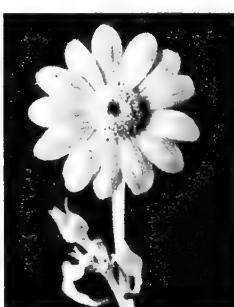
**1312.** Very charming double and semi-double blooms in a most attractive range of colors and combinations. Blooms 1 to 1½ inches across. Lots of bloom, Summer 'til frost. (1 to 1½ ft. high). Pkt. 15c; 2 for 25c, Postpaid.



### CHRYSANTHEMUM

← (Painted Daisy)

**1100.** Beautiful contrasting colors and flowers often 3 inches across. All have a dark eye, surrounded by a narrow ring, another ring of scarlet, and then the dominant color. Grow 2½ ft. Our Tri-color Mixture will bring you a fine assortment. Pkt. 15c; 2 for 25c, Postpaid.

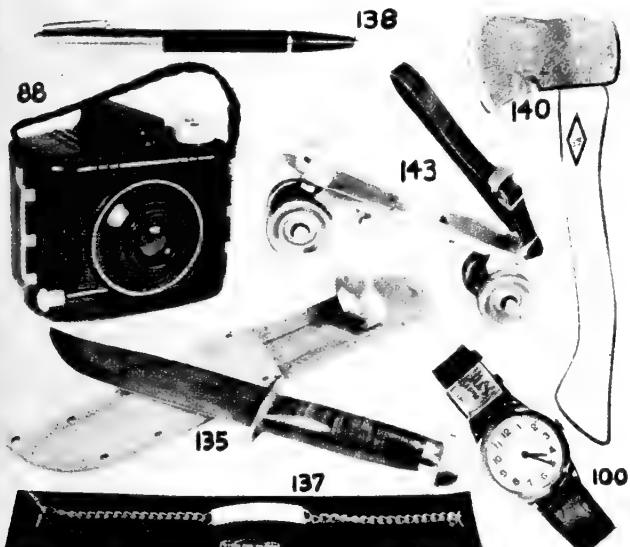


### INCA FLOWER

**1269. FIREBALL TITHONIA.** A dazzling scarlet orange flower, 3 to 4 inches across. Grows to 6 feet tall and blooms very profusely in the Fall, after many flowers have stopped blooming. Wonderful for bouquets. Pkt. 15c; 2 for 25c, Postpaid.

## LOTS OF FINE PREMIUMS

Pictured below are just a few of the fine prizes you can earn. These premiums and others are pictured and fully described in a circular which will be packed right in with your 10 Seed Collections. SEND FOR THEM TODAY. USE THE COUPON BELOW.



## SPECIAL GRAND PRIZES

### 1st PRIZE

This beautiful 3-year-old Pony with Saddle and Bridle. (Or \$150.00 in Cash)

2nd and 3rd Prizes. DeLuxe \$57.95 Bicycles like the one pictured below. Your choice of Boy's or Girl's Style.



In addition to the Cash or many fine Premiums you can earn by selling my Seed Collections, I am going to give away the 3 wonderful Grand Prizes Pictured here. Every boy and girl who sells 10 Seed Collections is eligible to enter the contest for these 3 Grand Prizes. Just hurry up and sell the 10 Seed Collections. If you want to take cash, keep \$1.25 and send \$3.65 to me. If you want a premium send the entire \$4.90 to me and tell me which premium you want.

At the same time you do this, you can enter the contest for the 3 Grand Prizes. It's easy!

1. This contest is limited to any Boy or Girl whose 14th birthday is on or before May 1, 1948.

2. Simply write down "I name the pony (fill in the name you choose) because ..... and then write 25 words or less giving your reasons for choosing the name.

3. Send me your entry on a separate piece of paper. Put your name and address on the entry, together with the day and year of your birth.

4. Your entry will be judged on the originality and fitness of the name selected and the originality, sincerity, and apt-

ness of thought in the reasons given for selecting the name.

5. You can enter the contest just as soon as you sell 10 Seed Collections. And you can send an additional entry each time you sell another 10 Seed Collections.

6. Entries must be postmarked not later than May 1, 1948.

7. Judges' decision will be final. Duplicate prizes will be awarded in case of ties. No entries will be returned. Entries become the property of Earl E. May Seed Co. No entries accepted from employees of the Earl E. May Seed Co. or their families.

8. Winners will be notified by mail.

Get busy now. Don't Delay.

Fill out this coupon. Send it to me today.

# BOYS and GIRLS

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### 10 FULL SIZED REGULAR PACKETS

1 Pkt. Radish, Early Bird .....	5c
1 Pkt. Radish, Icicle .....	5c
1 Pkt. Lettuce, Early Curled .....	5c
1 Pkt. Tomato, Rutgers .....	10c
1 Pkt. Beets, Early Wonder .....	5c
1 Pkt. Parsnips, Hollow Crown .....	7c
1 Pkt. Carrots, New Coreless .....	10c
1 Pkt. Cucumber, Long Green .....	8c
1 Pkt. Zinnia, Dahlia Fl. Mixed .....	10c
1 Pkt. Cosmos, Orange Flare .....	10c
Regular Value .....	75c

IT IS EASY TO SELL  
ALL THIS FOR ONLY 49c

My seed collections are real bargains. Think of it! You sell 75c worth of seeds (10 of my regular full size packets) for only 49c. No wonder thousands of Boys and Girls earn so much cash and so many valuable prizes every year in partnership with us. I know you can sell them fast to your friends and neighbors.

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**YOU DON'T NEED ANY MONEY.** I will trust you 100%. You can start without sending me one penny. Just fill out the coupon below, send it to me and I'll send you 10 Seed Collections right away.

**GET STARTED EARLY.** Don't delay. Be the first to get started in your neighborhood. If you make a real early start you can sell several complete deals and earn a lot of money or choose several of the fine prizes I have ready for you.

Edward May

## ALL YOU NEED TO DO

Fill out and send the Coupon to me and I'll send you 10 Boys and Girls Seed Collections to be sold at 49c each. (Don't send any money.)

When you've sold all 10 collections you will have \$4.90. You can keep \$1.25 cash and send \$3.65 to me. Or, you can send the entire \$4.90 and tell me which premium you want. I'll send it at once.

Even if you don't sell all 10 Seed Collections you still get paid for your work. If you sell only part of the Seed Collections you can keep one-fourth of the money you receive. Return the unsold Seed Collections to me.

**MAIL THE COUPON TODAY!**

## SEND NO MONEY

Fill it out. Paste it on the back of a penny post card. Send it today.

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Shenandoah, Iowa

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Please send me at once, 10 Boys and Girls Seed Collections which I will sell at 49c each. When I have sold them, I will keep one-fourth (\$1.25) in money, and send the other three-fourths (\$3.65) to you; or I will send you all the money and choose one of the prizes. If I do not sell them all, I will return them to you in good condition.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Route or St. Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

**Newer! Finer!**  
**Exquisitely Beautiful**  
**FIVE STAR**  
**GLADIOLUS**

No artist could reproduce the exquisite beauty of these newer, finer Five Star Gladiolus. The colors, the larger size, and the perfect form of these gorgeous beauties will certainly thrill you as you've never been thrilled by Gladiolus. Enjoy them all at these very special Postpaid prices.

Order No. 3285

**3 each of the newer, finer**  
**FIVE STAR GLADIOLUS**  
**Large 1½ to 1¾ inch bulbs**  
**(A \$2.22 Value.)**

**ALL 15 ONLY \$1.80**  
**POSTPAID**

Order No. 3284

**3 each of the newer, finer**  
**FIVE STAR GLADIOLUS**  
**Jumbo 1½ inch and larger bulbs**  
**(A \$2.52 Value.)**

**ALL 15 ONLY \$2.00**  
**POSTPAID**

**PRIZE WINNING**  
**GLADIOLUS GARDEN**

All 12 of these gorgeous gladiolus

For a sensationaly lovely display of the most beautiful gladiolus color, plant all 12 of the outstanding varieties pictured here. We promise you will be proud and thrilled at the beauty and loveliness they bring you.

Order No. 3283. Two each of the 12 Gladiolus pictured. Large 1¼ to 1½ inch Bulbs.

All 24 Bulbs \$1.95, Postpaid  
 (4 Each, 48 large bulbs, \$3.75, Postpaid.)

Order No. 3282. 2 each of the 12 Gladiolus pictured. Jumbo Bulbs, 1½ inch and larger.

All 24 Bulbs \$2.30, Postpaid  
 (4 each, 48 Jumbo Bulbs, \$4.50, Postpaid.)

Individual varieties are offered only in units of 5 of each variety. Prices are Postpaid.

**3139. WHITE GOLD.** Large 1¼ to 1½ inch bulbs: **5 for \$1.10.** Jumbo 1½ inch and larger bulbs: **5 for \$1.20.**

**3132. Black Diamond**

**3140. Marguerite**

**3120. Blaze**

**3113. Blue Beauty**

Large Bulbs (1¼ to 1½ inch) . . . . . **5 for 65c**  
 Jumbo Bulbs (1½ inch and larger) . . . . . **5 for 75c**

**3104**

**3117**

**3131**

**3126**

**3106**

**3102**

**3109**

**Rainbow GLADIOLUS GARDEN**

**ALL POSTPAID**

Individual varieties offered only in units of 5 each variety.

**3102. Vagabond Prince**

**3109. Picardy**

**3104. Minuet**

**3117. Golden Chimes**

**3131. King Lear**

**3126. Phyllis McQuiston**

**3106. Rewi Fallu**

**Large Size Bulbs**

**5 for 60c**

**Jumbo Size Bulbs**

**5 for 70c**

This group of seven Gladiolus was especially selected to bring you outstanding varieties of each color represented. All of them are large flowering, tall growing Gladiolus . . . thrillingly lovely in your garden and unexcelled for bouquets. A gorgeous show is in store for you when you plant these bulbs.

Order No. 3287

**3 each of the 7 Rainbow Gladiolus. Large Size Bulbs. (A \$2.52 Value.)**

**All 21 Bulbs \$1.40**

Order No. 3286

**3 each of the 7 Rainbow Gladiolus. Jumbo bulbs. (A \$2.94 Value.)**

**All 21 Bulbs \$1.60**



## America's Favorite Bouquet Flower

The stately, floret packed spikes of Gladiolus bloom make most attractive and colorful bouquets. They are ideal for floral arrangements in combination with flowers of every kind. Plant lots of them. Have Gladiolus in abundance for yourself and for your friends.

### ALL SEASON BOUQUET GLADIOLUS

Order No. 3268

This special is hand picked to bring you a parade of beautiful bloom over a long period of time. The Jumbo bulbs bloom earliest. Then, the large bulbs come on. And finally the medium size bulbs bring on their long spikes of beautiful bloom. With the natural variation in blooming time of the fine varieties in this mixture you are just bound to have glorious colorful glads over a long, long period of time.

**15 Jumbo Bulbs      20 Large Bulbs  
15 Medium Bulbs**

**All 50 Bulbs Only \$2.25, Postpaid**

(If you want 100 bulbs in this same size mixture,  
send only \$4.25)

### BIG VALUE GLAD COLLECTION

A lot of people always like to buy Glads by color so they can have a row in their garden for cut flowers. We will put in many different color combinations to assure you a nice assortment.

**ALL POSTPAID**

**Order No. 3262...25 Medium Size Bulbs.....\$0.85  
(100 Medium Size Bulbs....\$3.30)**

**Order No. 3259...25 Large Size Bulbs.....\$1.15  
(100 Large Size Bulbs....\$4.25)**

**Order No. 3258...25 Jumbo Size Bulbs.....\$1.40  
(100 Jumbo Size Bulbs....\$5.15)**

## GLOXINIAS

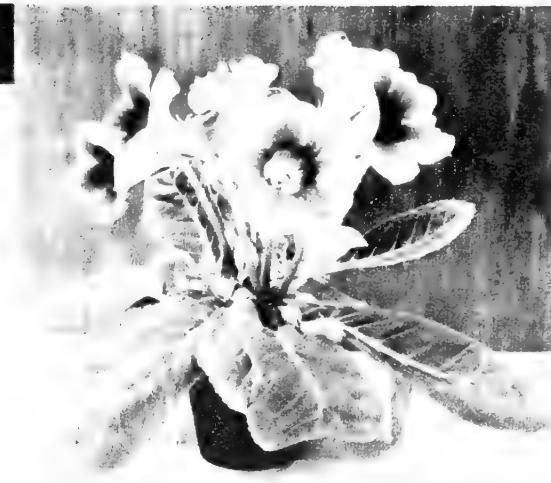
Gorgeous velvety flowers in brilliantly beautiful colors! Gloxinias are truly a most wonderful flower. The blooms open to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 3 inches across and they come on week after week. And, they are about the easiest of all house plants to grow. You can plant your Gloxinia bulbs from February until late May and have a succession of flowers.

Use a 5-inch pot and get good rich sandy loam. Plant the bulb about one inch deep. Place it in a warm sunny window. Water it sparingly until growth appears and then water every day. After flowering the bulbs should be saved for planting another season and so on for many years. Here are five of the finest.

### BLOOMING SIZE BULBS

Your Choice Alike or Assorted  
Each 45c; 3 for \$1.25, Postpaid

- 70. **Brilliant.** Glowing deep scarlet.
- 73. **Prince Albert.** Deep violet blue.
- 71. **Blanche de Meru.** Rose pink with white throat.
- 74. **Princess Elizabeth.** Blue with white throat.
- 72. **Mt. Blanc.** Pure white.



## GLOXINIA SPECIAL

Order No. 75

One each, listed at the left.

**ALL 5 ONLY \$1.89, POSTPAID**

## POTTING SOIL . . . for House Plants

Potting soil especially prepared for growing plants and bulbs indoors. Promotes luxurious foliage growth and gorgeous colorful flowers. Easy to use, just pour soil into containers, plant bulbs or flowers, nothing to add but water. Contains humus, garden soil, rotenone, vitamins B1 and B2, rootone, copper oxide and further enriched with additional amounts of nitrogen, phosphorus and potash to make a highly balanced nutritional soil for bulbs and house plants. 8 lbs. \$1.00—Postpaid in Zones 2 and 3. (Zones 4 and 5 add 25c for Postage.)



Feed your Vegetables, Flowers, Roses and Shrubs the modern way—with ready-to-use PLANTABBS. Clean and odorless; absolutely reliable; easy to use. Order today. POSTPAID PRICES: 75 tablets, 50c; 200 Tablets, \$1.00; 1000 Tablets, \$3.50.

## RA-PID-GRO—Results in 24 hours!

For use on everything you grow. This miracle all-purpose plant food is highly concentrated. Guaranteed Analysis. Nitrogen 23%, Phosphoric Acid 21%, Potash 17%, plus Vitamins B-1 and B-2. Each pound makes 22 gallons (176 lbs.) when mixed with water. The cost is less than 3/4c per pound. Quick acting, clean, odorless, easy to use. For lawns, gardens, plants, shrubbery, Evergreens. Complete and simple directions on every package. POSTPAID PRICES.

8 oz. Pkt. (11 Gal.) 75c; 1 lb. (22 Gal.) \$1.25; 5 lbs. (110 Gal.) \$4.50



## TRANSPLANTONE

Unbelievable results in transplanting vegetable plants, shrubs, fruit trees, shade and evergreen trees . . . without any wilting at all. Faster growth, earlier fruit. Easy to use and economical. The  $\frac{1}{2}$  ounce packet (25c, postpaid) makes 10 gallons of transplanting solution. Simply mix with water, apply it to the soil or dip roots before planting.

**1/2-oz. (10 gallons) 25c**

**3-oz. (60 gallons) \$1.00**

**1 lb. (320 gallons) \$4.00**

**ALL POSTPAID**

## ROOTONE

Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.

The hormone Wonder Powder . . . for seeds, cuttings, slips, bulbs. Seeds dusted with Rootone germinate faster, root deeper, make stronger healthier growth. Many farmers are treating their Hybrid Seed Corn for greater yields. Cuttings speedily develop vigorous root growth. Treated lawn seed grows much earlier, makes more luxuriant growth.

Small Pkt. (for several dozen cuttings) 25c; 2-oz. Jar (Treats 20 Lbs. seed) \$1.00; Pound \$5.00.  
**ALL POSTPAID.**

## WEEDONE

TRADE MARK

One of the first and still the best weed killer . . . really knocks out Poison Ivy, Bindweed, Ragweed, Dandelion, Plantain, Burdock, Canadian Thistle, Nettle, etc. Kills the tops and goes right on down to get the very last tips of the roots. DOES NOT STERILIZE THE SOIL. Non-explosive, does not corrode metals. Does not irritate the skin and is not hazardous to animals. Easy to mix, using 60 parts of water to 1 part of Weedone. Weedone can be sprayed on lawns to kill dandelions and plantain, 1 gallon of spray to 100 square feet. (Any slight damage to blue grass is not permanent.)

**For 3 Gallons of Spray  
6 oz. Bottle . . . \$0.75**

**For 15 Gallons of Spray  
1 Qt. Bottle . . . \$2.50**

**For 60 Gallons of Spray  
1 Gal. Can . . . \$7.50**

**For 300 Gallons of Spray  
5 Gal. Can . . . \$30.00**

**ALL POSTPAID      Page 23**



## HYBRID WATERMELON

**475. HYBRID DIXIE.** Here's the sweetest, finest, most delicious melon you've ever eaten. Extra fine quality is bred right into this great melon, by controlled pollination. It is a TRUE HYBRID . . . so you can depend on extra vigorous growth, consistent heavier yields, extra resistance to disease and unfavorable conditions, and uniform smooth 35 to 50 pound melons. The flesh is deep dewy red. Stays luscious sweet longer than the old Dixie Queen. Ripens in Mid-August in Iowa. Seed is limited. Order early.

Packet 25c  
(Enough Seed for 5 Hills.)  
POSTPAID

(Other Watermelons, see Page 35.)

## HYBRID SWEET CORN

**143.** For consistent heavy yields you just can't beat this **HYBRID GOLDEN BANTAM** sweet corn. (84 Days). You can't beat its tender delicious flavor, either. Its 8-inch ears of golden goodness are the standard by which others are judged. The stiff upstanding stalks generally carry two ears, and so great is the hybrid vigor that there is rarely an ear that isn't filled from end to end. Fine for home canning and a favorite for quick freezing. Be sure you plant Hybrid Golden Bantam. **Big 3-oz. Pkt. 15c; ½ lb. 30c; lb. 50c; 2 lbs. 90c, Postpaid.**

(Other Sweet Corns, see Page 32.)

## HYBRID TOMATO

**753. Hybrid Clinton** (75 days.) Now you can have hybrid dependability and hybrid productivity in your tomato patch. This first generation hybrid is a prolific bearer. It is a main crop, all-purpose hybrid tomato. The fruit is large, deep red, with a firm meaty flesh of most excellent quality. Plants make extensive, vigorous growth to resist unfavorable conditions and assure you a bumper yield of big delicious tomatoes.

Packet of 30 seeds, 25c, Postpaid

(Other Tomatoes, see Page 38.)

## HYBRID CUCUMBER

**354. Yields Heavily When Others Fail** (BURPEE 60 Days). This new hybrid proved the fighting qualities of its hybrid vigor during the long hot, dry weeks last summer. It made more vigorous vine growth and produced more fruit than other standard varieties in our Test Gardens AND went right on with heavy production after the others were all through. The cucumbers are very excellent, too . . . pretty green color, well formed, about 7 to 8 inches long, 2 to 2½ inches through. Full rounded ends, with small seed cavity. You'll agree it is the champion of them all. **Pkt. (Enough seeds for 5 Hills.) 25c, Postpaid.**

(Other Cucumbers, see Page 31.)

Plant

These

## HYBRIDS

for

①

Healthy  
Huskier  
Growth

②

Dependable  
Heavier  
Yields

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Improved  
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Sturdy  
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Conditions

# Garden Seed Guarantee

We Guarantee Our Vegetable and Flower Seed to Be:

1. Good, Strong, High Germinating Seed.
2. True to Name and As Represented.
3. Satisfactory or Your Money Back.

Our seeds are sold subject to your test and approval upon delivery to you. If in your judgment they are unsatisfactory return them to us within ten days and we will make full refund. We give no warranty, express or implied, as to the productiveness of any seeds we sell and we will not be in any way responsible for the crop. Our liability in all instance is limited to the purchase price of the seed.

## PREMIUMS

We appreciate your orders and these premiums are our way of saying, "Thank you". Be sure you state your choice right on your order, otherwise none will be sent.

**These premiums given only on Vegetable Seed and Flower Seed orders or orders for a combination of Garden Seeds and Flower Seeds from this Catalog.**

**Choose Any 1 Premium With a \$2.00 to \$3.00 Order**

**Choose Any 2 Premiums With a \$3.00 to \$4.00 Order**

**Choose Any 3 Premiums With a \$4.00 to \$5.00 Order**

**Choose Any 4 Premiums With a \$5.00 Order or More**



PREMIUM NO. 1



PREMIUM NO. 2



SPECIAL PREMIUM

**PREMIUM NO. 1. Cherry Queen Zinnia.** Giant flowers 5 to 6 inches across of a most brilliant Cherry Rose color. Plants grow 2½ to 3 ft. tall and cover themselves with bloom through Summer until frost. A sensationally fine zinnia. Large Packet, worth 35c.

**PREMIUM NO. 2. Grand Gladiolus Collection of 8 Blooming Size Bulbs.** A thrilling mixture of really fine varieties to bring you a variety of colorful bloom. Tall spikes, large flowers. Worth 45c.

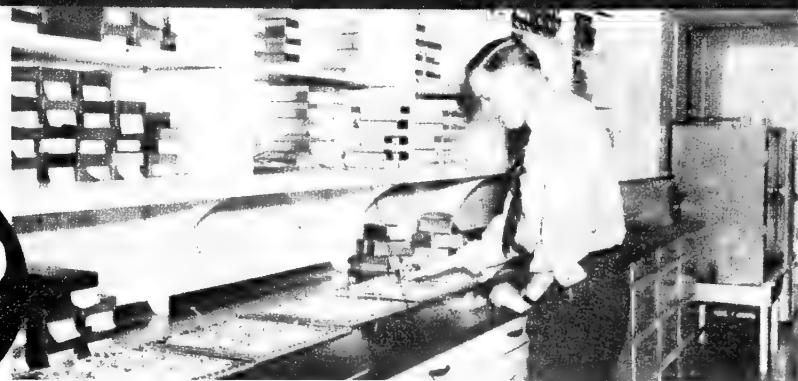
**SPECIAL PREMIUM. Mrs. May's "Garden Gay" Collection of 12 Finest Annual Flowers.** This is our biggest and best collection. You can choose it for your premium if your Vegetable Seed and Flower Seed order amounts to \$5.00 or more. Armloads of Bouquets. See page 20 for complete list. Worth 85c.

## KEY TO TEST GARDEN PICTURE

1. Farm Seeds
2. Annual Flowers
3. Green beans, lima beans, wax beans, beets, cabbage, carrots, onions, peas, peppers, pumpkins, spinach, sweet corn, tomatoes.
4. Garlic, cosmos
5. Lilies, Iris.
6. Cucumbers, dill, popcorn, squash, sweet corn, tomatoes.
7. Experimentals.
8. Employee's gardens.
9. Tomatoes, rhubarb.
10. Tomatoes.
11. Gladiolus, tomatoes.
12. Tomatoes.
- 13, 14, 15, 16. Gladiolus.
17. Melons, popcorn, tomatoes.
18. Tomatoes.
- 19, 20. Sorghum Cane.
21. Gladiolus, Iris, Annuals.
22. Tomatoes, Iris.
- 23, 24, 25. Alfalfa.

Earl May

# TRIPLE TESTED SEEDS



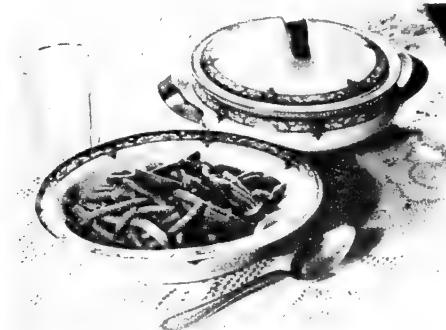
## IN OUR LABORATORY

**Every packet, every pound of our vegetable seeds is Laboratory Tested to assure you High Germination.** We know they are ready and "anxious" to grow before they are ever put in the packet and bags to be sent out to you. Literally, thousands of these tests are made each year in our laboratory. That's one reason why our customers report such good stands and such high yields from their gardens.



## IN OUR 76-ACRE TEST GARDENS

**Every year we plant scores of varieties of vegetables in our 76-acre test gardens . . . old favorite varieties and new ones, too.** In these tests we search out the thrifitier, heavier yielding varieties. Time and again we discover a superior plant growing in an already established strain. From this superior plant our improved strains are developed. The name of the variety is the same but our tests show one strain to be very much better than the others. It is the better, the improved strains, we packet for our customers. (See lower left for planting details.)



## ON OUR TABLES

**Yes, that's the final and very important test . . . because you want the finer textured, finer flavored vegetables from your garden.** We bring in truck loads of vegetables from our test gardens and just pass them out to folks here at the seedhouse to try in their own kitchens. From all their reports we know exactly which varieties give the greatest taste satisfaction. Plant our seeds and enjoy the finer textured, finer flavored, really nicer varieties.

Edward May

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# GREEN POD BUSH BEANS

**CULTURE:** 1 pound plants a 100 ft. row, 90 pounds per acre. Wait until the ground is good and warm to plant beans. Plant 2 or 3 inches apart, about 2 inches deep, rows 18 to 24 inches apart. Avoid picking or cultivating when plants are wet. 1 lb. should produce about 2 bushels of snap beans.

## BEAN SPECIAL

65. Here's a real bargain for you. The best Green Bean. The Beat Lima Bean. The best Wax Bean. And, inoculation. And look at that bargain price.

1/2 lb. New Logan 33c  
1/2 lb. Top Notch Wax 27c  
1/2 lb. Congreen Lima 28c

Earl May Inoculation 10c

**REGULAR VALUE 98c**

**ALL FOR  
ONLY 75c  
POSTPAID**



**NEW LOGAN**

(See Picture on the Back Cover)

106. (48 Days.) Again this year New Logan was a sensation in our Test Gardens! It produces a bumper lot of long smooth pods. They are rich dark green, really stringless, and just can't be beat for fine flavor and tenderness. Because the bushes are extra strong and carry more foliage, New Logan makes a great yield even under very unfavorable conditions. Don't miss getting acquainted with New Logan this year. You're sure to be pleased. Big 3 oz. Pkt. 15c; 1/2 lb. 33c; 1 lb. 60c, Postpaid.



## BURPEE'S STRINGLESS GREEN POD

The Standard for Years

102. (49 days.) The standard of them all. Big 6-inch pods. Tender, plump and slightly curved. They're meaty, juicy and brittle with no strings at all. Very early. Seeds are a dark coffee-brown. A wonderful yielder, excellent for both spring, summer, and fall plantings. Make several plantings! Keep this delicious food coming in all though the growing season.

Big 3-oz. Pkt. 10c; 1/2 lb. 25c; 1 lb. 45c;  
2 lbs. 85c, Postpaid

## INOCULATE BEANS

**EARLIER BEARING AND BIGGER YIELDS**  
when you use Earl May's Inoculation. Simple, easy directions with each order. Enough inoculation for 2 to 4 lbs. of Garden Beans and Peas. Only 10c, Postpaid. Be sure you include it on your order.



## GIANT STRINGLESS

101. (52 days.) A grand bean, extra-fine for table and canning. 6 1/2-inch pods. Perfectly stringless. Yields heavy in spite of hot, dry weather. An all-season bean, especially fine for a big crop in late fall.

Big 3-oz. Pkt. 10c; 1/2 lb. 25c; 1 lb. 45c;  
2 lbs. 85c, Postpaid.

## New Tendergreen

**Delicious, Tender, Stringless**

104. (52 Days.) The best of the improved green beans. And it IS improved! Firm, tender pods are really stringless. They are often 7 inches long and you pick them by the handfull. The flavor is the best you've ever enjoyed. And besides all that, New Tendergreen is a great and dependable yielder. Plant it right along side of your favorite green bean and you'll see its superiority for yourself.

Big 3 oz. Pkt. 12c; 1/2 lb. 27c;  
1 lb. 48c; 2 lbs. 90c, Postpaid.

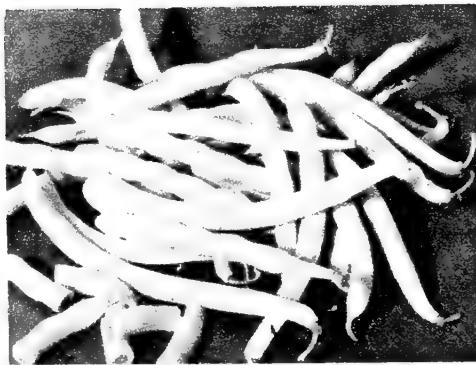
# GOLDEN POD BUSH BEANS

**CULTURE:** Same as Green Pod Beans above.

## TOP NOTCH GOLDEN WAX A Sure Crop

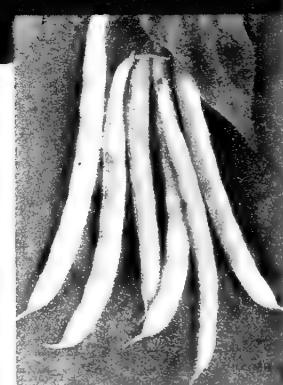
126. (50 days.) A "Top-notch" bean in every way. It is **rust-proof and stringless**. Replaces Improved Golden Wax with us because it is superior in Quality, Flavor and Yield. A dwarf, stocky bush that bears bumper crops. You can hardly see the leaves for the plump, yellow pods about 5 inches long. Some of our friends call it the ever-busy bean because it keeps them busy picking throughout its long bearing season. Great for home use.

Big 3-oz. Pkt. 12c;  
1/2 lb. 27c; 1 lb. 48c; 2 lbs. 90c,  
POSTPAID



**PENCIL POD WAX**

130. (52 days.) Golden yellow, slender, smooth pods that grow 6 to 7 inches long. Always tender and stringless and a great yielder. Has been at the head of the parade many years. Plant this great bean with confidence of a fine crop. Big 3-oz. Pkt. 12c; 1/2 lb. 27c; 1 lb. 48c; 2 lbs. 90c, Postpaid.



125. **EARLY WONDER WAX**. Only 42 days. The earliest of the wax beans and a fine yielder, too. Think of it. In 42 days from planting you'll be eating lots of these richly flavored golden pods. They're 6 1/2 inches long and extra tender. The best of good eating.

Big 3-oz. Pkt. 10c; 1/2 lb. 25c;  
1 lb. 45c; 2 lbs. 85c, Postpaid

## TOP NOTCH GOLDEN WAX BEAN

## LIMA or BUTTER BEANS

For an average Family Garden plant at least 1 lb. of Bush Limas. Make a late planting to harvest as shell beans. **CULTURE:** 1 pound plants 100 foot rows. Make plantings about the middle of May or after nights have become quite warm. Plant the seed 1½ to 2 inches deep, 4 to 6 inches apart in the row.



**114. BURPEE'S IMPROVED BUSH LIMA.** (75 days.) Without doubt one of our greatest Lima Beans. Really fine flavor. Tender, rich and buttery. Pods are 5 to 6 inches long. Bears July 'til frost. **We highly recommend this great bean to you.**

Big 3-oz. Pkt. 15c; ½ lb. 30c; lb. 50c; 2 lbs. 95c, Postpaid



### CANGREEN BUSH LIMA

**113.** (63 days.) Have you always wanted a Lima Bean that would be a beautiful green color after you've cooked it or canned it? Then, be sure you plant CAN-GREEN. It keeps its color for serving and canning. It is the Henderson type but a stronger grower, more prolific bearer, and slightly larger. Wonderful flavor, too.

Big 3-oz. Pkt. 15c; ½ lb. 28c; lb. 50c; 2 lbs. 95c, Postpaid.

### FORDHOOK POTATO LIMA (U.S. 242)

*Lots of beans, even in hot dry weather.*

**112.** (68 days.) A superior, greatly improved Fordhook type which yields heavier both early and late in the season. The big plump beans are the most delicious you've ever eaten. You'll find 3 to 4 beans to the pod and because they are so big and fat they are easier to shell. But the main features are consistent big yields and grand flavor. Just can't be beat for eating fresh, and for home canning and quick freezing.

Big 3-oz. Pkt. 12c; ½ lb. 27c; lb. 48c; 2 lbs. 90c, Postpaid



### HENDERSON'S BABY LIMA

*A Sure Crop*

**115.** (65 days.) This is the favorite with many thousands of our customers . . . because it is such a prolific bearer and has such a wonderfully delicious flavor. Pods and beans are smaller than the Giant varieties but the tremendous yield of luscious beans will more than make up for it. A long time favorite for home canning. No matter what other beans you plant, we certainly recommend this one to you.

Big 3-oz. Pkt. 10c; ½ lb. 25c; lb. 45c; 2 lbs. 85c, Postpaid.

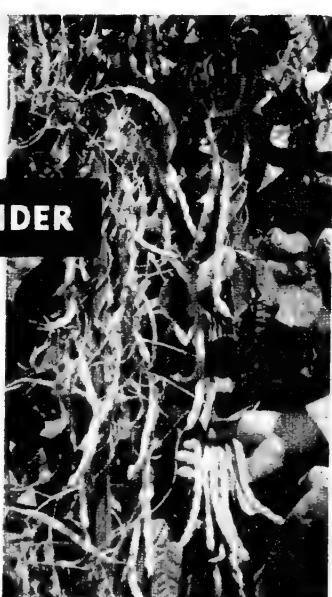
## POLE SNAP BEANS

**CULTURE:** 1 lb. plants 200 hills. Plant 3 feet apart each way, 4 to 6 beans to the hill. Provide poles 6 to 7 feet high. Or plant them along the edge of your corn and let the corn furnish the poles. They will thrive on your fence, too.

### KENTUCKY WONDER

**Great Yielder. Good Canner.**  
**135.** (65 days.) Heaviest yielding green pod snap bean. If closely picked it will continue bearing until frost. **A peck can often be picked from a single vine.** It is a strong climber. A fat, meaty, brittle pod with a delicious flavor all its own. A great standby for years.

Big 3-oz. Pkt. 10c; ½ lb. 25c; lb. 45c; 2 lbs. 85c, Postpaid.



### MISSOURI WONDER

**134.** (65 days.) **One of the most dependable yielders and famous, too, for its fine flavor.** The green pods are long, round and tender. Good either for snap or shell beans. A very strong climber. You'll like it.

Big 3-oz. Pkt. 10c; ½ lb. 25c; lb. 45c; 2 lbs. 85c, Postpaid.

**137. GOLDEN KENTUCKY WONDER.** (65 days.) Beautiful yellow pods. 7 to 9 inches long. If you like the buttery, wax-colored beans, you certainly will want to plant this one. **A great yielder,** has a delicious flavor, makes fine snap beans and grand shell beans. Big 3-oz. Pkt. 12c; ½ lb. 28c; lb. 45c; 2 lbs. 85c, Postpaid.

## EARLIER YIELDS—BIGGER YIELDS

It pays to inoculate your bean seed with EARL MAY'S GARDEN INOCULATION. Plants bear earlier and the yield is greatly increased. Simple easy directions with each order. One packet is enough to inoculate 2 to 4 lbs. of Garden Beans or Peas. Order it now. It will come right along with your seed. Only 10c, Postpaid.

## BAKING BEANS

**CULTURE:** 1 lb. plants 100 foot row. 25 to 30 lbs. to the acre. Plant 2 inches deep in rows 2 to 3 ft. apart.



Baked Beans! A delicious and nutritious dish . . . and you can bake a great big lot of them for only a few cents when you grow your own.

## IMPROVED NAVY BEANS

**108.** (85 days.) This is the original Navy soup bean. Sturdy, robust plants produce mammoth crops of pure white, dry, shell beans well off the ground. Plant a few long rows in the corn field and grow a whole winter's supply.

Big 3-oz. Pkt. 10c; ½ lb. 20c; lb. 30c; 2 lbs. 50c; 5 lbs. \$1.00, Postpaid

## GREAT NORTHERN WHITE

**111.** This is the big white bean you buy at the grocers. Why not raise your own for next winter's soups and baked beans? Excellent quality, fine flavor, and cooks rapidly. And the strain we offer you is especially heavy bearing. Put in several rows and your harvest of dry beans will come in mighty handy next winter. Big 3-oz. Pkt. 10c; ½ lb. 20c; lb. 30c; 2 lbs. 55c, Postpaid.

## RED KIDNEY (CHILI) BEAN

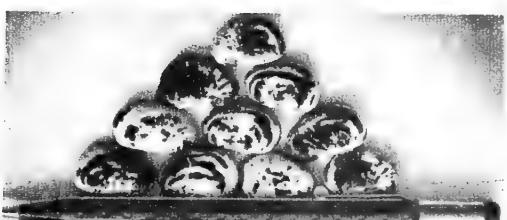
**109.** (95 days.) Everyone likes the delicious, tangy flavor of these large, reddish-brown beans. Chili has been a favorite American snack or supper dish made with Red Kidney Beans. Anyone can grow them. Big pods 6 inches long chock-full of beans. Big 3-oz. Pkt. 10c; ½ lb. 23c; lb. 42c; 2 lbs. 75c, Postpaid.



**RAISE GROCERIES**

**CUT FOOD COSTS**

**HAVE A GARDEN**



## SPECKLED POLE LIMA

**124.** (80 days.) The finest flavored Butter Beans we have ever eaten. **It is the most dependable Lima Pole Bean we know of for a great crop every year.** For real delicious, tender, rich, nut-like flavor it has no equal. The beans are first green, and then later develop a reddish splash throughout. Big 3-oz. Pkt. 15c; ½ lb. 30c; lb. 50c; 2 lbs. 95c, Postpaid.

## SWISS CHARD



210. (55 days.) The broad, tender leaves and stalks make perfect "Greens". A Spring tonic that is loaded with vitamins and mighty delicious to boot. Grows anywhere and come on all summer. The more you cut it, the more it grows. Pkt. 10c; 1/2 oz. 15c; ounce 25c; 1/4 lb. 65c, Postpaid.

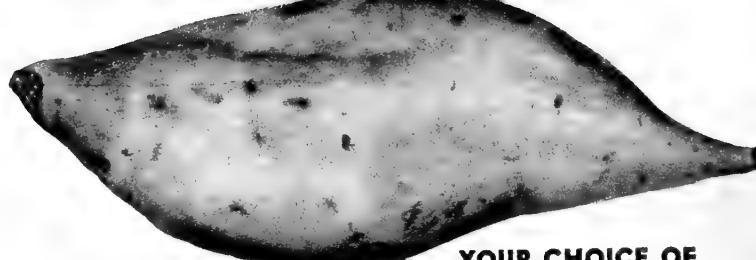


### CELERY

One packet makes 200 to 300 plants. Raise like cabbage and tomato plants.

272. **GOLDEN SELF-BLANCHING.** (100 days.) The very finest Celery in cultivation. Blanches itself to a rich creamy yellow heart with crisp, tender stalks. Pkt. 10c; 1/2 oz. 35c; ounce 65c, Postpaid.

276 **GIANT PASCAL.** (125 days.) Very tender, thick, solid, and brittle. Stalks grow 2 feet high. Excellent winter keeper. Pkt 10c; 1/2 oz. 40c; ounce 70c, Postpaid.



### SWEET POTATOES

**Sweet Potatoes have been hard to get and quite high priced for several years. It will certainly pay you well to grow your own.**

Plants have been scarce, too, for the last three years. So get your order to us right away. Plants are not shipped until safe weather but shipments are made in the same order we receive the orders. Avoid disappointment by sending your order early.

### YOUR CHOICE OF

10. Nancy Hall
11. Yellow Jersey
12. Porto Rico (Yam)

### POSTPAID PRICES

100 Plants.....	.85c
200 Plants .....	\$1.59
500 Plants .....	3.35
1000 Plants .....	5.65

If you don't know which to order, we recommend Nancy Hall.

## TENDER TABLE BEETS



### BABY CANNING BEET

(See picture on Back Cover.)

203. (Baby Beet.) (54 days.) Best canning and pickling beets yet developed. Perfect globe-shaped, smooth and uniform with deep crimson, even color throughout. Grows 3 inches across and makes the finest pickling beet you ever tasted when about half grown. The smooth, tender flesh is the finest quality of them all. Pkt. 10c; 1/2 oz. 20c; ounce 35c; 1/4 lb. 98c, Postpaid.

**CULTURE:** Sow one ounce to 100 feet of row, 6 to 8 pounds per acre. Plant in rows 18 to 24 inches apart, cover seed 1/2 to 1 inch deep. Thin plants to 4 inches apart. Plant Beets real early and continue clear up until the middle of July. Soak the seed overnight to hasten germination.

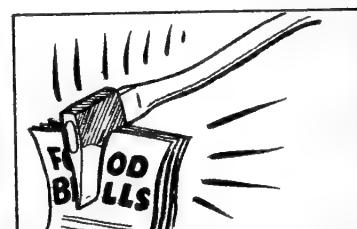
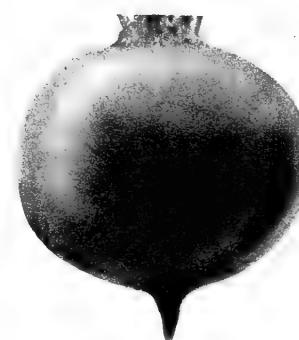


### DETROIT DARK RED

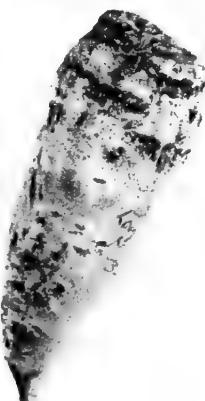
Home Canning Favorite

205. (60 days.) In our estimation the best main crop and canning beet in existence. This one does away with the white or light colored zones in the flesh. It cans dark red with no browns or purples. Detroit Dark Red is a globe-shaped beet, a favorite everywhere. Equally good for canning, pickling, or winter storage. This is the one we use at home for our own use.

Pkt. 10c; 1/2 oz. 18c; ounce 30c; 1/4 lb. 85c, Postpaid.



### STOCK and POULTRY BEETS



216. **MAMMOTH LONG RED MANGEL.** (95 days.) The most widely known mangel. Yields up to 40 tons per acre — the large roots often weighing 15 to 20 pounds each. They frequently grow 2 feet or more long, with half the beet growing out of the ground which makes them easy to harvest. Just rick them up in storage like stove wood. Skin bright red and flesh white with rings of pink.  
1/2 oz. 12c; ounce 20c; 1/4 lb. 70c; lb. \$1.85, Postpaid.

**CULTURE:** One ounce plants a 100 ft. row. Sow 8 to 10 pounds per acre in April and May in rows about 2 1/2 to 3 feet apart, covering the seed 3/4 to an inch deep. Thin plants to 8 inches. Dig before severe frost.

### Early Wonder

Extra Early. Deep Red.

206. (50 days.) The finest extra early beet. A week or more ahead of Detroit Dark Red. Blood red all the way through. Large, semi-flat with rounded bottom. Perfectly uniform. Fine grained, good flavor. Smooth, clear skinned. The first beet ready for the table in early summer and ideal to plant in late summer for a big fall crop. Pkt. 5c; 1/2 oz. 15c; ounce 25c; 1/4 lb. 75c, Postpaid.

### HOME CANNING BEET SPECIAL

NO. 66

1/2 ounce Baby Canning 20c  
1/2 ounce Red Heart 22c  
1/2 oz. Detroit Dark Red 18c

Regular 60c Value

**ALL FOR ONLY  
49c POSTPAID**

### RED HEART

209. (58 days.) Here is a new, greatly improved variety. The interior color is a solid ringless red, unmatched for fine flavor and excellent texture. A beauty in the dish or in the jar. Slightly smaller than Detroit but more uniform. Pkt. 10c; 1/2 oz. 22c; ounce 35c; 1/4 lb. \$1.00, Postpaid.

### TAKE THE AXE TO YOUR FOOD BILLS

Food prices are getting out of sight. The answer is to have a garden. Even a city-lot garden will cut your food costs by many dollars. Remember the outlandish prices you paid last year for peas, beans, corn, and other fresh produce. Then remember to have a "Grocery Store" garden of your own this year.

# 4 DISEASE RESISTING KINDS



## MARION MARKET

**235.** (70 to 75 days.) **Early. Sure to head.** (Disease Resistant.) Also known as Wisconsin Copenhagen Market. Early, round, solid heads, averaging 7 inches thick. Weighs 4 lbs. Has short stems, and is good for early sauerkraut and excellent for all cooking purposes.

**Big Pkt. 10c; 1/2 oz. 35c; ounce 60c;**  
**1/4 lb. \$1.75, Postpaid**



## EARLY JERSEY WAKEFIELD

**236.** Disease Resistant. (60 to 65 days.) **Extra early.** Heads cone-shaped with broad base. Weighs 2 to 2½ lbs. First to mature and a favorite everywhere.

**Pkt. 10c; 1/2 oz. 35c; ounce 60c;**  
**1/4 lb. \$1.80, Postpaid**

## 2 LATE KINDS



**244. DANISH BALLHEAD.** (100 days.) Our choice for kraut and a winter main crop. Solid heads weigh 7 to 9 lbs. Will keep throughout the winter. The extra solid heads weigh heavier than any cabbage its size. **Is fine grained and excellent flavor.** **Pkt. 10c; 1/2 oz. 30c; ounce 55c; 1/4 lb. \$1.65, Postpaid.**

**254. PREMIUM FLAT DUTCH.** (100 days.) One of the largest, known as the sauerkraut cabbage. Weighs 12 to 15 lbs. **Best for late fall or winter use.** Its flat solid heads are clear white and fine-grained. **Pkt. 5c; 1/2 oz. 25c; ounce 40c; 1/4 lb. \$1.35, Postpaid.**



## WISCONSIN HOLLANDER

**237.** (100 days.) **Large, with fine flavor.** Disease Resistant. Originated from the famous Danish Ballhead. Large round heads, 7 to 9 lbs. and will not burst. Has fine flavor.

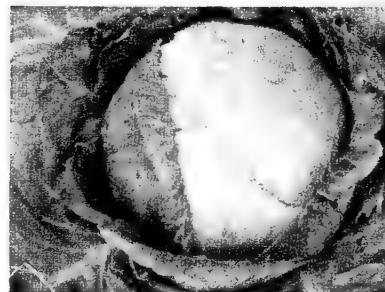
**Big Pkt. 10c; 1/2 oz. 35c; ounce 60c;**  
**1/4 lb. \$1.80, Postpaid**



**233. GOLDEN ACRE.** (65 days.) The earliest round headed cabbage. Golden Acre is short stemmed, has a rich, sweet flavor; fine for slaw, cooked, or for kraut. The heads weigh about 4 pounds.

**Pkt. 10c; 1/2 oz. 35c; ounce 60c;**  
**1/4 lb. \$1.80, Postpaid**

## BEST EARLY KIND



**232. EARLY COPENHAGEN.** (68 days.) The leader of the early round cabbages and is the most dependable all-purpose cabbage we list. Big, round, solid heads weigh 5 to 6 lbs. Very tender, brittle, and fine flavored. **Pkt. 8c; 1/2 oz. 27c; ounce 48c; 1/4 lb. \$1.35, Postpaid.**

**CULTURE:** 1 packet will produce 200 plants; an ounce about 2,000 strong plants. Sow indoors in February and March. Later crops, sow outside in May. Cabbage likes rich soil. Plants do best in rows 2 feet apart, 18 to 20 inches in the row. Raise your own cabbage plants and save money. For winter storage plant seed June 1st to the 10th.

# Frost-Proof CABBAGE PLANTS

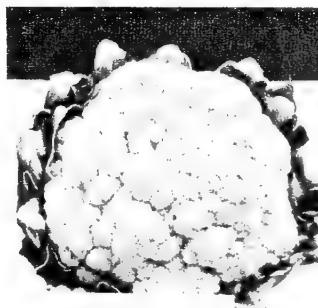
221. Copenhagen
222. Early Wakefield
223. Early Flat Dutch

Approximate Count

100 plants	75c
200 Plants	\$1.25
500 Plants	2.35
1000 Plants	3.75

## ALL POSTPAID

The sure and easy way to get big solid heads of cabbage. And from these frost-proof plants you'll be eating fresh cold slaw and making kraut almost before you know it. You'll be eating it weeks ahead of cabbage from seed, often early in June! These thrifty sturdy plants can be planted extra early, because they can be planted right out in those early frosts and light freezes without damage. Once you've tried our plants, you'll be back for more another year. Order early so you can get them out early.



Early Snowball



## CAULIFLOWER

### EARLY SNOWBALL

**330.** (55 days.) The best early strain. Pure white solid heads. The heads are 6 to 7 inches thick. Weight 1½ to 2 lbs. **Pkt. 10c; 1/4 oz. 85c, Postpaid.**

### DANISH GIANT

**332.** (65 days.) Adapted to dry weather. Heavy foliage protects the heads, less liable to blight. Heads 6 to 8 inches thick. Weigh 2 lbs.

**Pkt. 10c; 1/4 oz. 85c, Postpaid**



## CHINESE CELERY CABBAGE

**260. CHINESE CELERY CABBAGE.** (80 days.) The zest of Celery combined with the fine flavor of cabbage. The beautiful folded, crisp, white leaves make delicious salad, or you can boil it like cabbage. **Very healthful, easily grown.** You can also serve it like lettuce or celery or prepare like ordinary cabbage. **Pkt. 10c; 1/2 oz. 25c; ounce 45c; 1/4 lb. \$1.45, Postpaid.**

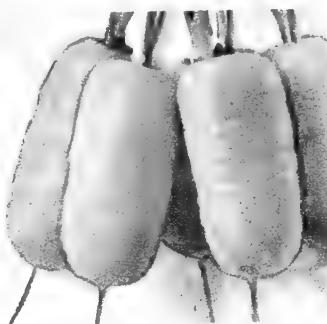
## PROTECT YOUR PLANTS WITH HOTKAPS



Protect plants from frost and other elements, mature crops earlier, keep insects out, keep soil soft. They are cone-like in shape, about 11 inches across the base. Hotkaps make a little hothouse over each plant. Cardboard setter included with each order.

**25 Hotkaps 85c;  
100 Hotkaps, \$2.75; 250 Hotkaps, \$4.65, Postpaid**

**CULTURE:** One ounce of seed will sow 100 feet of row, 3 to 4 pounds per acre. A great health food. Their invigorating flavor either cooked, eaten raw, or in salads, recommends them. They will grow easily on almost any kind of soil. For an average Family Garden, plant 1½ oz. Make 2 or 3 plantings two weeks apart.



## NEW CORELESS

Here's the carrot preferred by thousands of our customers and we certainly recommend it to you.

**300.** (72 days.) One of the earliest and very fine-flavored. Sweet, tender, fine grained, crisp flesh of excellent quality. No woody hearts in this one. Grows 6 to 7 inches long, extremely uniform and one of the best home garden carrots. Beautiful, rich orange-red flesh all the way through. The finest color of them all and one of the richest in Vitamin A.

Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 20c; ounce 35c;  
¼ lb. \$1.05, Postpaid.

### CARROT HEALTH SPECIAL

ORDER NO. 67

REGULAR CATALOG PRICE 63c

½ oz. Tendersweet (25c)  
½ oz. Coreless (20c)  
½ oz. Danvers Half Long (18c)  
ALL FOR ONLY 49c, POSTPAID



Cut dollars off your food bills by having a garden. Raise your own groceries. Home grown vegetables are always fresher and more delicious.

## KOHLRABI



Cross between cabbage and turnip, superior in flavor to any of the cabbage group. Tender, crisp flesh is delicious either raw or cooked. Easy to grow, sure to crop. Highly resistant to insects and disease. Get acquainted with this fine vegetable. Plant about ¾-inch deep, thin to 4 inches apart. Plant some very early for summer use. Plant again in the summer for fall use and storage.

## EARLY WHITE VIENNA

**950. EARLY WHITE VIENNA.** Finest and best improved strain. Mild and Sweet. Pkt. 8c; ½ oz. 25c; ounce 45c, Postpaid.



## Tendersweet

### Sweetest and Finest

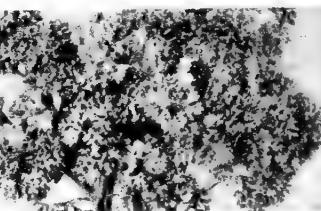
**303.** (See the color picture on the back page of the catalog.) This is the sweetest of all the carrots and it's gaining new friends by the thousands every year. It is a deep, deep orange, very fine grained, smooth and really coreless. The flavor is just grand and it's crisp, too. Grow 6 to 7 inches long. Try Tendersweet for sure this year.

Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 25c; ounce 40c;  
¼ lb. \$1.20, Postpaid.

## DANVER'S HALF LONG

### ← The Best Winter Keeper

**306** (73 days.) Thousands upon thousands of customers each year come back for this grand, dependable carrot. It's one of the best for winter storage. Keeps well all winter long. Can be pulled when young or, if you allow it to stand, it will produce smooth, uniform roots 7 to 10½ inches long and often 3 inches thick. Tender, bright orange, crisp flesh of the finest quality. Adapted to all sections and all types of soil. Pkt. 7c; ½ oz. 18c; ounce 30c; ¼ lb. \$1.00, Postpaid.



## PARSLEY

Will grow anywhere. Cut it and it comes again. Lots of Vitamin A and Iron. Sow it early.

### 556. MOSS CURLED.

(70-75 days.) Most popular. Rich dark green; crinkled and curled. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 18c; ounce 28c, Postpaid.

## EGG PLANT

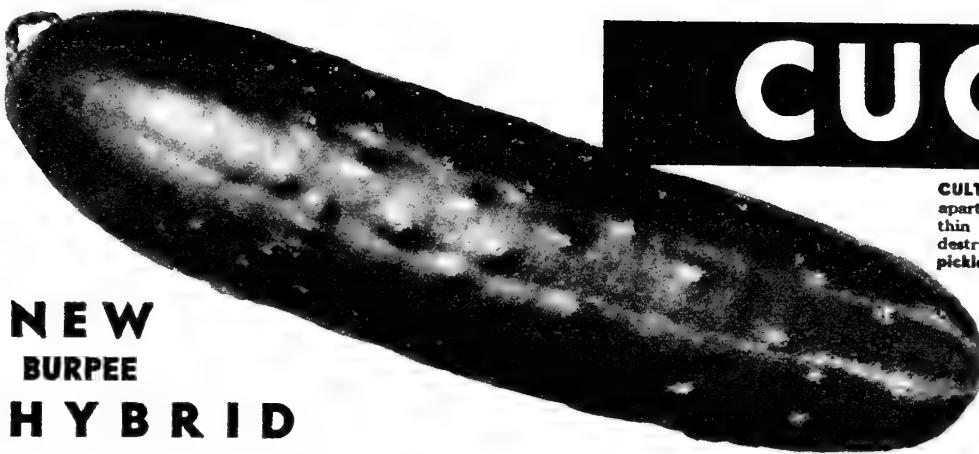
**CULTURE:** 1 packet will produce about 100 plants. Grow them just like you do peppers.

**294. BLACK BEAUTY.** (120 days.) Earliest and best large fruited Egg Plant. Glistening, purplish-black. Tender and tasty at all stages of growth. Fruits reach an enormous size and are free from spines and thorns. The intensely brilliant, glossy rich coloring is uniform over the whole fruit. Black Beauty is our choice.

Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 35c; ounce 65c, Postpaid.



# CUCUMBERS



## NEW BURPEE HYBRID

**Yields Heavily When Others Fail**

**354.** (60 days.) This new hybrid proved the fighting qualities of its hybrid Vigor during the long hot, dry weeks last summer. It made more vigorous vine growth and produced more fruit than other standard varieties in our Test Gardens AND went right on with heavy production after the others were all through. The cucumbers are very excellent, too . . . pretty green color, well formed, about 7 to 8 inches long, 2 to 2½ inches through. Small seeds and fewer seeds means thicker flesh. For sure production of really finer cucumbers, be sure you have this hybrid in your garden. (see color picture on Page 24.) **Big Pkt. 25c, Postpaid.**

**CUCUMBER  
SPECIAL**  
ORDER NO. 68  
**REGULAR 70c VALUE  
ALL FOR ONLY  
59c  
POSTPAID**

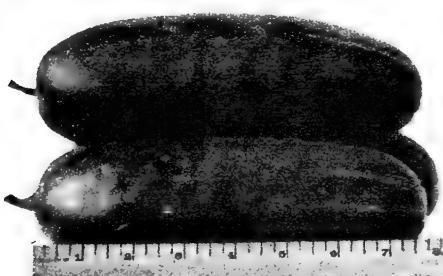
### PULL LIVING COSTS DOWN



Living costs have gone way high but you can pull them down . . . by raising a lot of your own groceries. It pays dividends. It pays in cold cash saved. And you get a bonus, too . . . of fresher, more delicious food. You just can't beat home grown vegetables for fine flavor.



**374. EVERBEARING.** (55 days.) Makes a close bushy growth and continues to bear throughout the season. **The first cucumbers come early and vines continue to produce until late in the season.** The perfect shape small size are fine for pickling, the large ones for slicing. The most popular home garden variety. **Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 20c; ounce 33c; ¼ lb. 70c, Postpaid.**



**356. STRAIGHT EIGHT.** (56 days.) Streamlined fruits 8 to 9 inches long. Well rounded at the end and keeps its beautiful dark green color long after it is picked. The flesh is tender and crisp and very fine flavored. Free from objectionable striping at the blossom end. A grand new cucumber with all the modern improvements. **Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 22c; ounce 37c; ¼ lb. 75c, Postpaid.**

(Better order your Bug Dust right now. 2½ lbs. together with a handy refillable dust gun for only \$1.00, Postpaid.)



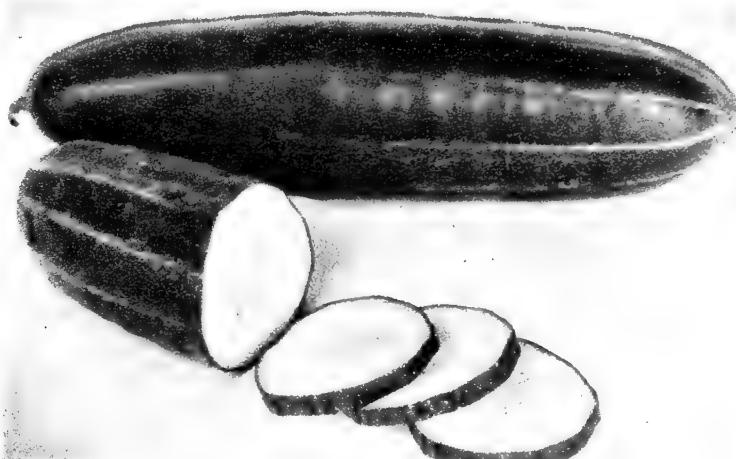
### SELECT NATIONAL PICKLING or HEINZ CUCUMBER

**Favorite for Sweet Pickles**

**358.** (56 days.) This is the cucumber that has been the favorite with the large pickle factories. They like its uniform size, firmness, and crispness. You'll like it too. Rich dark green, flesh pure white. Grows 6½ inches long, 2½ inches thick. **Very straight, with well-filled blunt ends.** You can pick the little fellows for sweet pickles or let them grow to ideal middle size shown in the fruit jar.

**Pkt. 8c; ½ oz. 20c; ounce 30c;  
¼ lb. 70c, Postpaid**

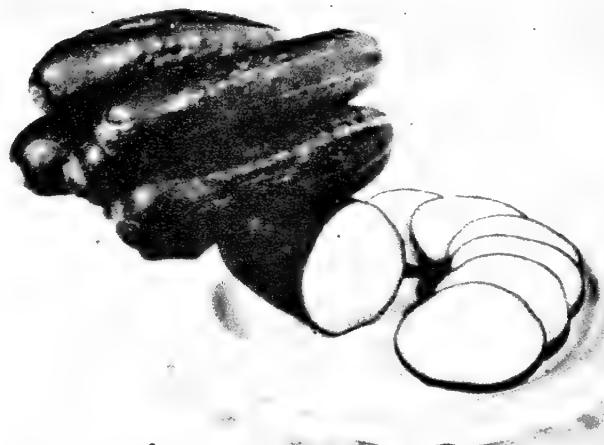
**CULTURE:** One ounce plants 50 hills. Plant after all danger of frost is over in hills 3 to 5 feet apart, 6 to 8 seeds in each hill. Cover seed ½ to ¾ inch deep. When the plants are 6 inches tall, thin to 3 strong plants to the hill. Dust regularly with Earl May's Bug Dust and control those destructive insects. See page 41. **Plant at least 2 kinds so you'll have plenty for slicing and for pickles. Make several plantings.**



### DARK GREEN ALL HEART

**355. (68 Days.)** The smoothest and best cucumber we have ever grown in our test gardens. The darkest richest green and, even in the medium and larger fruits, the seeds are small. It deserves the name **ALL HEART.** **Plant it for the best sliced cucumbers and the finest pickles you have ever made.** You can pick them small for sweets, medium for dills. You are sure to have plenty of every size you want.

**Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 22c; ounce 38c; ¼ lb. 79c, Postpaid**



### IMPROVED LONG GREEN

**Smooth, Small Seeded, Finest for Slicing and Pickling**

**372. (68 days.)** **The all purpose cucumber.** An old favorite that needs no introduction. Grows 8 to 9 inches long. Beautiful glossy green skin with pure white crisp solid flesh. **The small seed cavity makes it ideal for dills, slicing and chunk pickles.** Long Green was the first cucumber we remember hearing of. This improved strain of Long Green is tops for small sweet pickles when ½ or ¾ grown. Thousands of you friends, we know, rely on this grand cucumber for your pickles every year.

**Pkt. 8c; ½ oz. 20c; ounce 33c; ¼ lb. 70c, Postpaid.**

### ENDIVE

**282. GREEN CURLED ROSE RIBBED.** (90 days.) You've probably seen heads of endive in stores, and at fancy prices.

**It makes a very tasty, tender, crisp, fresh salad or can be cooked like cabbage.** Your "greens" won't be complete unless you're enjoying Endive.

**Pkt. 10c; ounce 20c; ¼ lb. 65c,  
Postpaid**

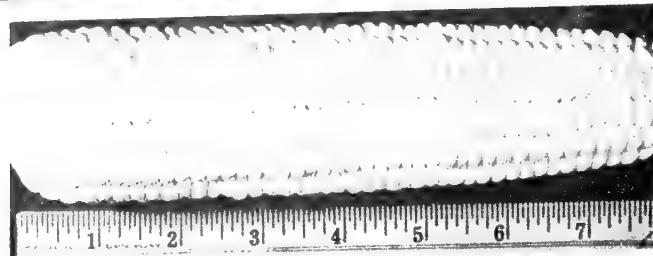


**Delicious for Fresh Salads. Mighty Healthful, too. (Sow like lettuce).**

# SWEET CORNS

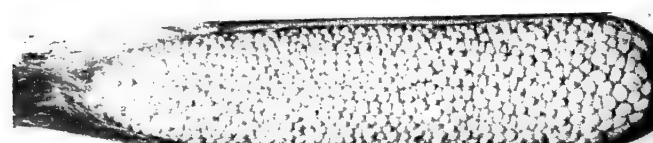
**CULTURE:** Wait until the ground is good and warm. Plant in hills 3 to 3½ feet apart each way; 4 to 5 kernels to the hill, or sow in rows 3½ feet apart, placing the seed about 8 inches apart in the row.

## WHITE HYBRIDS



**151. HYBRID STOWELL'S EVERGREEN.** Even before its vast improvement as a hybrid, Stowell's Evergreen was always a great favorite. A great yielder, wonderful flavor and tenderness. **Our Hybrid Stowell's Intensifies these fine traits. Sweeter, more tender and the highest yielding of all the sweet corns.** The giant ears are 8 to 10 inches long, snowy white and very, very deep grained. A fine corn.

Big 3-oz. Pkt. 15c; ½ lb. 33c; 1b. 55c; 2 lbs. 95c, Postpaid



**150. HYBRID COUNTRY GENTLEMAN.** Open pollinated Country Gentleman was always a sweet, tender, and deep grained sweet corn. **The hybrid variety improves that fine flavor, nearly doubles the yield and brings a hybrid vigor highly resistant to corn diseases.** The 8 to 10 inch ears are snow white and packed tightly with tender, delicious kernels. You don't know how good Country Gentleman can be until you've eaten this new, vastly improved hybrid.

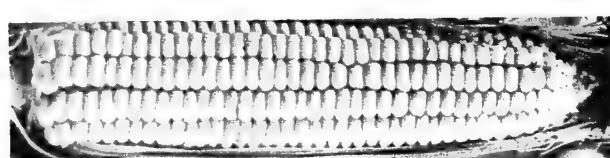
Big 3-oz. Pkt. 15c; ½ lb. 38c; 1b. 65c; 2 lbs. \$1.15, Postpaid

## OPEN POLLINATED SWEET CORNS



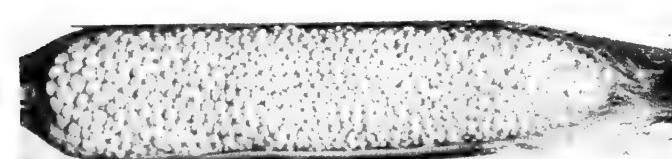
**154. STOWELL'S EVERGREEN.** (91 days.) An improved strain. It's fine for roasting ears, for drying, and for canning and it has the largest ear, deepest kernel. The corn remains long in the milk before ripening up which lengthens its season for your table use.

Big 3-oz. Pkt. 10c; ½ lb. 22c; 1b. 40c; 2 lbs. 70, Postpaid



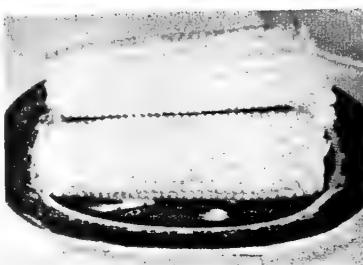
**144. GOLDEN BANTAM.** (77 days.) Everybody likes Golden Bantam. Many people won't plant anything else. The flavor is delicious, sugar content high. Kernels are tender. Very wide and deep, cob small.

Big 3-oz. Pkt. 10c; ½ lb. 22c; 1b. 40c; 2 lbs. 70, Postpaid



**152. COUNTRY GENTLEMAN.** (Shoe Peg.) (93 days.) Long, narrow, pointed kernels and irregular on the cob. It's a dandy! From 2 to 3 large ears on a stalk. Packed with long, white kernels. Sweet, tender and fine flavored.

Big 3-oz. Pkt. 10c; ½ lb. 22c; 1b. 40c; 2 lbs. 70, Postpaid



## SWEET CORN

**Order No. 70.** Three of the very best varieties of different maturities to bring you delicious sweet corn continuously for 3 to 4 weeks. At a real bargain price!

½ lb. Hybrid 4th of July.....	35c
½ lb. Hybrid Golden Bantam.....	30c
½ lb. Hybrid Stowell's Evergreen .....	33c

**REGULAR 98c VALUE ALL FOR ONLY 79c, POSTPAID**



## HYBRID GOLDEN BANTAM

*The Standard Favorite*

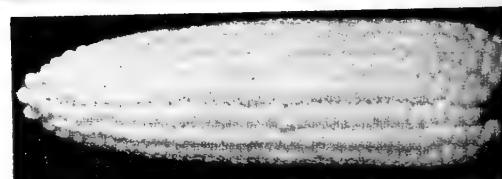
**143. Golden Cross Bantam.** (84 days). **Still the best yellow Hybrid Sweet Corn.** Yields 25 to 40 percent more than ordinary Golden Bantam. Very tender and sweet. A cross between 2 fine inbred Hybrid Bantams. Stalks generally carry 2 eight-inch ears with 10 to 14 rows of delicious yellow kernels. The standard of them all! Be sure to plant it. **Big 3-oz. Pkt. 15c; ½ lb. 30c; 1b. 50; 2 lbs. 90c, Postpaid.**

## TRADE \$\$\$ FOR \$\$\$

Tender, delicious green beans cost around 25c a bushel when raised in your own garden. Plant 21c to 24c worth of pea seed and enjoy them at less than 1c a serving. Pick \$4.00 or \$5.00 worth of sweet corn for 50c worth of seed. Yes, you get \$\$\$ worth of food from \$\$\$ when you have a garden.

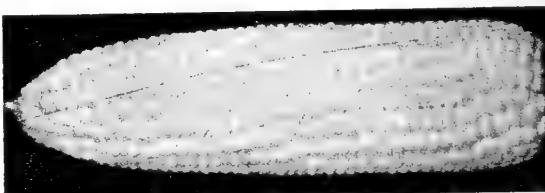
## GROW YOUR OWN GROCERIES

## YELLOW HYBRIDS



**139. HYBRID 4TH OF JULY.** (64 days.) **THE EARLIEST!** One of the very earliest and second to none for fine flavor. The golden ears are 6 to 6½ inches long, 10 to 14 rows, chunky and well filled for such an early yielder. **We call it "4th of July" because for years it has made roasting ears from our first very early planting in time for the 4th of July.** Wonderful flavor. And we recommend it to you highly. (See picture on back page.)

Big 3-oz. Pkt. 15c; ½ lb. 35c; 1b. 55c; 2 lbs. 98c Postpaid



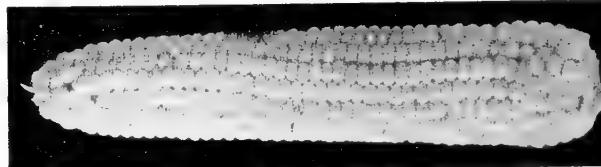
**141. HYBRID EARLY GOLD.** (70 days.) About a week later than 4TH OF JULY but still a week earlier than all others. **Extra tender and delicious. Chunky, deep grained ears are 6½ to 7 inches long with 12 to 14 rows.** Light golden color. A strong grower for a dependable heavy yield.

Big 3-oz. Pkt. 15c; ½ lb. 30c; 1b. 50c; 2 lbs. 90c Postpaid



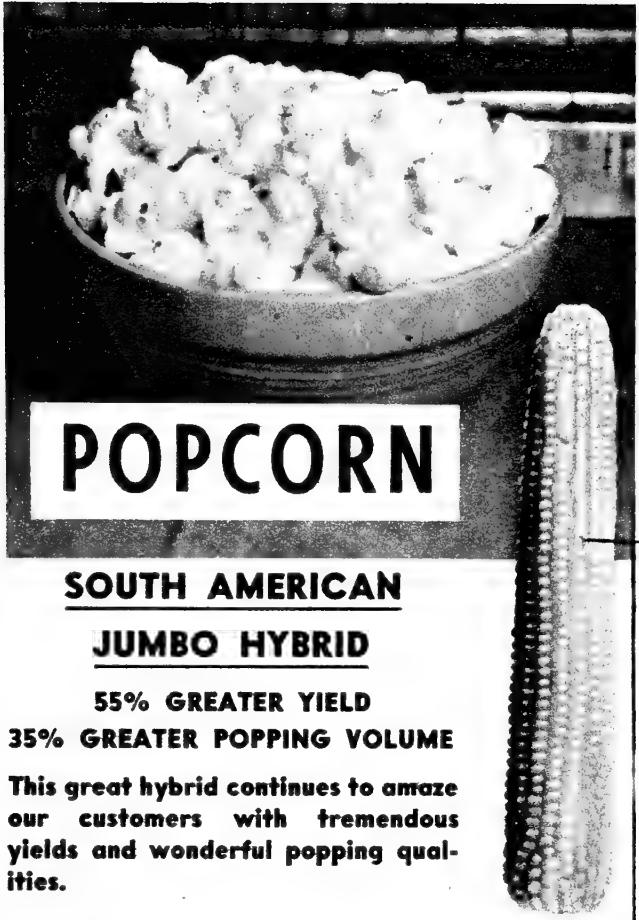
**142. HYBRID TENDERGOLD.** (76 days.) **Famous for sweet, delicious flavor.** Extra tender, too. The golden ears are large, 7 to 8 inches long, 10 to 14 rows. **Especially good for holding supreme eating condition for 10 days or more.** Resistant to bacterial wilt, it makes fast, sturdy growth for a sure bumper yield.

Big 3-oz. Pkt. 12c; ½ lb. 29c; 1b. 49c; 2 lbs. 90c Postpaid



**140. HYBRID IOANA.** (85 days.) We especially recommend this new hybrid developed by the Iowa State College at Ames. Highly resistant to drought and wilt. **A Bronze Medal Winner in 1939. Tall, sturdy stalks, big buttery golden ears 8 inches long, 12 to 14 rows with deep kernels of the finest flavor.** Most dependable, best flavored for a mid-season crop.

Big 3-oz. Pkt. 15c; ½ lb. 30c; 1b. 50c; 2 lbs. 90c, Postpaid



## POPCORN

### SOUTH AMERICAN

#### JUMBO HYBRID

55% GREATER YIELD

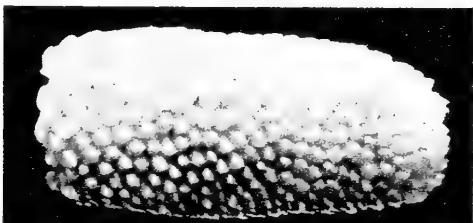
35% GREATER POPPING VOLUME

This great hybrid continues to amaze our customers with tremendous yields and wonderful popping qualities.

158. (Hybrid K4 or Purdue 32.) No accident about this wonder hybrid! No guesswork about the sensational records this hybrid popcorn is making! At Purdue University, where it was originated, exact tests have been made over a period of years. In a 4-year test, Purdue 32 yielded 55% more than Open Pollinated. In a 3-year test, it popped 35% greater volume. Giant popped kernels, the nearest hull-less of any corn you've ever eaten, and the flavor and texture are "excellent". Average a little better than 2 big ears per stalk. Out of 24 varieties in our tests, this was the best. Big Stalks, almost like field corn. We have a limited production of this South American Jumbo Hybrid (Purdue 32) this year. You need to know what a wonder hybrid it really is. Don't delay. Send your order today.

1/4 lb. 20c; 1/2 lb. 40c; 1 lb. 65c; 5 lbs. \$2.98, Postpaid

159. BUTTERGOLD. (110 days.) Open Pollinated. Large golden ears 7 to 9 inches long. Excellent popping quality and flavor. Many folks won't have anything except Buttergold. It's a great yielder, too. 1/4 lb. 15c; 1/2 lb. 25c; 1 lb. 40c; 2 lbs. 70c, Postpaid.



### HYBRID JAP HULLESS

160. HYBRID WHITE HULLESS. The "last word" in pop corn, originated by the Minnesota Dept. of Agri. The very finest you can grow. It is tops for fine flavor and tenderness. It is really hulless and pops to the amazing record of 26% more than the open pollinated Dwarf Hullless and actually yields 16% more. By all means plant this popcorn for the best in yield and the finest of flavor. We promise you'll be delighted with it.

2-oz. Pkt. 12c; 1/4 lb. 22c; 1/2 lb. 40c; 1 lb. 65c, Postpaid

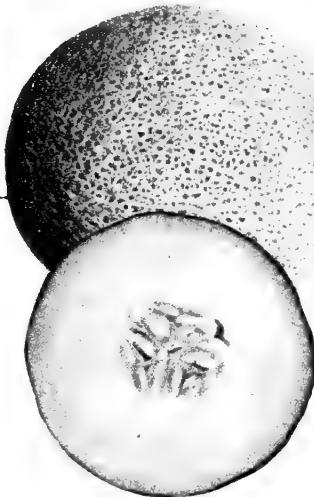
156. DWARF WHITE HULLESS. The good old reliable. Has real flavor and excellent quality—every grain pops into brittle snowy-white flakes without the slightest trace of hull. Short, chunky white ears.

1/4 lb. 12c; 1/2 lb. 23c; 1 lb. 33c; 2 lbs. 60c, Postpaid

CULTURE: 10 to 12 pounds plant an acre if drilled; in hills 6 to 8 pounds. Rows 3 feet apart, hills 2 feet apart, 3 kernels to the hill. If drilled, place kernels 8 inches apart.

# Muskmelons—Cantaloupes

CULTURE: One ounce will plant 50 hills. Melons like warm, rich soil, slightly sandy. Plant them when all danger of frost is past, in hills about 6 feet apart each way. Plant 6 to 8 seeds to the hill and thin to 3 strong plants.



### Texas Resistant No. 1

439. (85 days.) The great resistance of this melon to downy mildew and aphids comes from West India. It is a selected cross of a West India melon and Hale's Best. It thrives, makes luxurious vine growth and great yield in spite of downy mildew, aphids, and unfavorable weather. The melons are 5 to 6 inches long by 4½ to 5 inches in diameter. Beautiful salmon flesh has a grand flavor and there's lots of delicious meat for you because the seed cavity is small. Texas Resistant No. 1 will be a favorite of yours just as soon as you know what a great melon it really is. Plant it this year.

1 Pkt 15c; ounce 40c;  
1/4 lb. 85c; lb. \$2.65, Postpaid

467. BANANA MUSKMELON. (98 days.) This one is shaped like a huge banana. *Tastes banana-like, too. It's a big, smooth, lemon-yellow melon.* Grows to 6 lbs. The flesh is deep salmon and, believe us, it's mighty fine eating. Get acquainted with this melon if you want something rare and fine in muskmelon flavor.

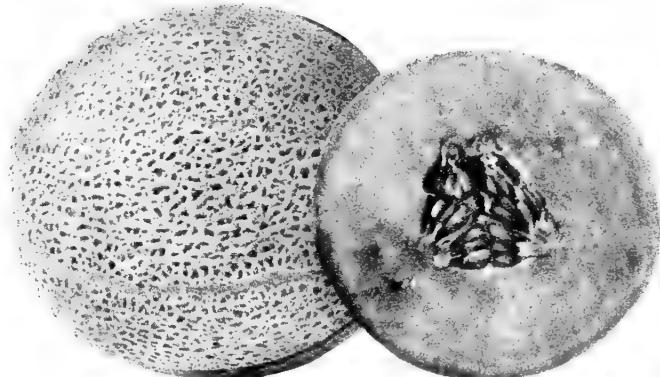
Pkt. 10c; ounce 30c; 1/4 lb. 75c;  
Postpaid



### HEARTS OF GOLD

458. (85 days.) We put this one on top of the list for sweetness. Vigorous vines are blight-resistant and very productive. Ripens close to the rind. The seed cavity is very small. *In our opinion it's one of the best melons that you can grow in the home garden.* Sweet, spicy, deep salmon colored flesh with a distinct flavor. Be sure and grow this one.

Pkt. 10c; ounce 30c; 1/4 lb. 75c; lb. \$1.95, Postpaid



### HALE'S BEST JUMBO

Special Strain

430. (80 days.) Improved Hale's Best Strain selected for its *large size and fine flesh and flavor.* Ideal for the home garden and roadside stand. Delicious, sweet, bright orange salmon flesh is firm and fine grained. Extra thick flesh with small seed cavity. Our choice of the Hale's Best Melons.

Pkt. 7c; ounce 25c; 1/4 lb. 75c; lb. \$1.95, Postpaid

### PRIDE OF IOWA



Sells at Premium Prices

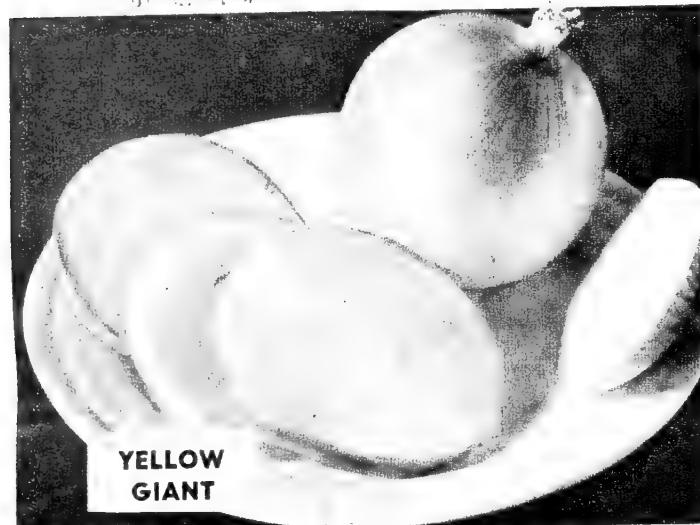
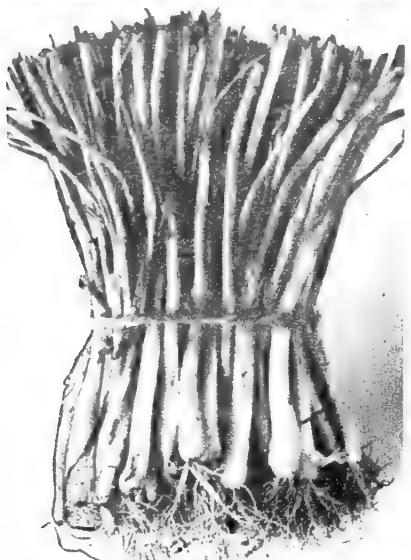
434. (85 days.) Best of them all for fine flavor and real eating quality. *Combines the matchless flavor of Honey Rock with the finest flesh-texture of Hearts of Gold, and larger than either of them.* Rich salmon colored flesh, small seed cavity. An excellent shipper, commands top prices on every market. A real treat in the home garden, too.

Pkt. 10c; ounce 35c; 1/4 lb. 85c;  
lb. \$2.45, Postpaid

# ONION PLANTS

*Easy to plant. Easy to grow. And they make tremendous yields of big, mild, sweet onions.*

Once you've seen and eaten fine big onions grown from plants, you'll always plant them. Light frosts and freezes, even a light snow, won't hurt them. So, you can put them out extra early to get a full growing season. Plant them about  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inches apart. The first time you thin them out for "green" onions. The next thinning for stewed onions. Then, let the rest go on to make you plenty for fall and winter use. Order at least 2 varieties: WHITE BERMUDA for the mildest you've ever eaten and YELLOW SWEET SPANISH for a good mild onion that keeps for months. Shipment made at proper planting time. Order early for early planting.



## ONION SEED

**CULTURE:** One ounce of onion seed will plant 150 feet of row. It takes 5 to 6 lbs. for an acre. One packet will plant about 25 feet. Sow onions early. They like rich, well-drained soil, slightly sandy. Thin to 3 or 4 inches apart in the rows for best results.

**502. SWEET SPANISH YELLOW GIANT.** (110 days.) The favorite the country over. Attractive deep yellow color with clear white flesh of a mild flavor. A large onion that makes a vigorous top growth that is free from disease. **Excellent keeping quality combined with large size and good color makes it the most popular onion today.** Very mild and sweet. Pkt. 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40c; ounce 75c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.10, Postpaid.

**500. SWEET SPANISH WHITE GIANT.** (110 days.) The largest white onion. Globe-shaped. Just like Yellow Giant except it has a clear white color. Very mild, white flesh. **It doesn't bite!** Really a wonderful mild onion. Pkt. 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 38c; ounce 70c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.85, Postpaid.

**508. SOUTHPORT RED GLOBE.** (110 days.) Purplish-red, flesh pure white. Finest red onion that grows, best winter keeper. Pkt. 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 30c; ounce 55c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.60, Postpaid.

**506. SOUTHPORT WHITE GLOBE.** (110 days.) Best keeping white onion. Perfect globe-shaped, solid, sweet, white flesh. Pkt. 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40c; ounce 70c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.85, Postpaid.

**510. SOUTHPORT YELLOW GLOBE.** (114 days.) Golden-yellow, globe-shaped. Mild flavor. Hardy, an outstanding onion. Pkt. 8c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 30c; ounce 55c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.60, Postpaid.

## WHITE BUNCHING ONIONS

**515. Earliest of Them All.** A bulbless onion that produces an abundance of mild, tender, sweet stalks and keeps coming year after year after they are once started. They are ready for the table usually a full six weeks ahead of onions from sets. There will be from 4 to 9 slender, silvery white stalks in each cluster, stalks twice the size of ordinary bunching onions. **Needs no covering or protection, never winter kills.** Plant the seed this Spring and you'll be enjoying them next Spring and from then on. Pkt. 15c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 55c, Postpaid.



Your Choice of  
White Bermuda  
Yellow Sweet Spanish  
Yellow Bermuda

(Approximate count)

200 Plants	59c
300 Plants	75c
500 Plants	98c
1000 Plants	\$1.95
3000 Plants	\$4.25

### ALL POSTPAID

(See Back Cover for prices on White Sweet Keeper.)

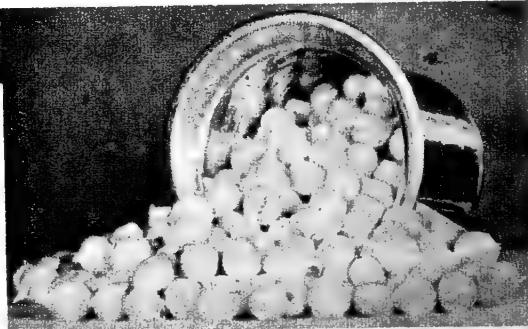


## 51 ONIONS WEIGH 50 LBS.

That's the count of the basket of onions above raised from Yellow Sweet Spanish plants in our Test Gardens.

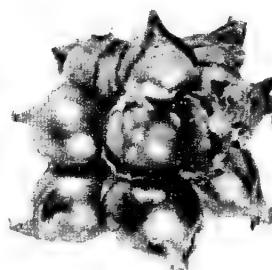
## ONION SETS

Excellent quality sets. The uniform, smooth, sound kind you need for a bumper yield. They will make the earliest green onions and are good keepers for winter use. One quart plants about a 30 foot row. Sets have been scarce in years past . . . so send your order early.



**534. YELLOW SETS.** Qt. 33c; 2 Qts. 60c; 4 Qts. \$1.10.

**536. WHITE SETS.** Qt. 35c; 2 Qts. 65c; 4 Qts. \$1.19, Postpaid.



### TOP SET ONIONS

#### ORDER NO. 538

You should all have some of these old fashioned top set onions. Replants itself year after year. And they get green and are ready to use very early in the spring, right with last wet snows of late winter. Pint 25c, Quart 40c, Postpaid



### GARLIC SETS

**537.** The most pungent flavor of the onion family. For flavoring soups, salads, and stews. 20 Garlic Buttons 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 25c; lb. 45c; 2 lbs. 80c, Postpaid.

## FREE 32-PAGE GARDEN BOOKLET

Complete Planting Guide

SENT WITH EACH  
ORDER FOR  
GARDEN SEEDS



This book will tell you and show you the practical, easy way to have a more productive garden. Soil preparation, planting, cultivation, harvest, and storage of each vegetable. A complete planting chart, too, along with Flower Seed Culture and how best to care for your lawn. It is sent free with every garden seed order.

## RAISE YOUR OWN GROCERIES



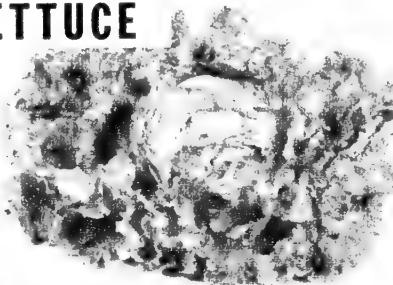
It pays. The first picking of peas more than pays the cost of your whole planting. The first mess of green beans makes all the others "net profit." A dozen ears of sweet corn more than pays for all the seed you plant. And think of how much fresher, more delicious it is when home grown!

Plant A "Grocery Store" Garden

# LETTUCE

**CULTURE:** Order 2 or 3 Packets so you can make several plantings and keep fresh, tender lettuce coming all the time. A packet will sow 40 to 50 feet. One ounce plants a row 150 to 200 feet long. Loose Leaf Lettuce should be planted in the open ground as early as it can be worked. Head Lettuce should be started in cold frames and transplanted or sown in the open like Loose Leaf. Plants should be thinned to about 12 inches apart.

## HEAD LETTUCE



### GREAT LAKES

411. **GREAT LAKES.** (75 days.) This ALL AMERICA WINNER is famous for heading up in spite of unfavorable weather. The heads are only medium size but are firm and have an excellent flavor. Be sure you plant Great Lakes if you like crisp, refreshing lettuce heads.

Pkt. 15c; 1/2 oz. 30c; oz. 50c, Postpaid.

416. **ICEBERG.** Curled crisp heads of medium size with green wavy fringed leaves. Edges tinged with light brown. Compact heads, few outer leaves. Most delicious, crisp and tender.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 30c; 1/4 lb. 75c, Postpaid

### WONDERFUL HEAD

415. **WONDERFUL HEAD.** (70 days.) A leading variety. This is the big solid head lettuce your grocer sells. Forms large, compact heads. **One of the largest of all the head lettuces.** Often weighs 2 to 3 pounds. Rich, dark green leaves are large and crumpled.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 33c; 1/4 lb. 85c, Postpaid.

417. **CHICKEN LETTUCE.** (48 days.) Early, produces the largest, tallest growing mass of leaves of any known variety. Makes a world of green feed full of vitamins and keeps the chickens healthy. The more you cut the more it grows. Pkt. 8c; ounce 18c; 1/4 lb. 45c, Postpaid.

### BLACK SEDED SIMPSON

402. (46 days.) **THE FAVORITE.** A splendid loose leaf cutting variety. Forms large plants. Grows quickly. Tender, crisp leaves are sweet and tasty. **Stands heat and drouth where other kinds have failed.** Many call it the everbearing lettuce.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 28c; 1/4 lb. 65c, Postpaid.

401. **EARLY CURLED SIMPSON.** (45 days.) One of the best. Forms a cluster of crumpled leaves in the center. Very crisp and sweet and delicious. Color light green. A very thrifty grower.

Pkt. 7c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 50c, Postpaid

410. **OAK LEAF LETTUCE.** (40 days.) This is kind of a novel variety but has a lot of good qualities. **The deep green leaves are small and tender and they stay sweet and tender in hot weather.** The flavor is the buttery type, really delicious. Pkt. 10c; ounce 30c; 1/4 lb. 85c, Postpaid.

### EARLY PRIZE HEAD

404. (47 days.) Reddish tinted leaves. One of the best known of the curly-leaved varieties. Bright green tinged with brownish-red. **Very quick grower.** Stays tender a long time—crisp, tender, and sweet.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 28c; 1/4 lb. 65c, Postpaid.

406. **GRAND RAPIDS.** (43 days.) Earliest, quickest growing. Light green, broad, wavy leaves grow in loose clusters. **Retains its freshness a long time after being cut.** Masses of tender, delicious, juicy leaves.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 50c, Postpaid

# WATERMELONS

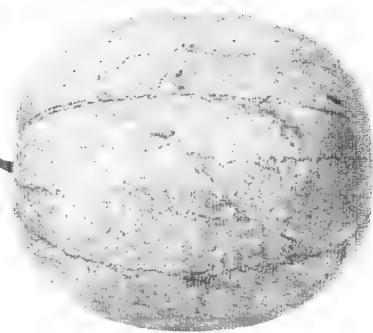


### WILT-RESISTANT KLECKLEY No. 6

483. (82 days.) Improved Kleckley Sweet. A long, green melon with square ends. Thin, hard shell rind, broad, solid heart of rich red flesh that is crisp and juicy. Average 30 to 35 lbs. Exceptionally sweet. **We have a large quantity of seed which was produced on soil heavily infested with wilt organism. That's why we recommend it to you as fully Wilt Resistant.** That's the kind of seed you want for planting.

Pkt. 10c; ounce 25c; 1/4 lb. 60c; lb. \$1.75, Postpaid

**CULTURE:** One packet plants 8 hills. One ounce of seed about 25 to 30 hills, 3 pounds to the acre. Melons like well-drained, rich, sandy loam. Plant in hills 8 to 10 feet apart each way. Plant 6 to 8 seeds to the hill and thin to 3 strong plants. Cover seed  $\frac{3}{4}$  inch.



### DIXIE QUEEN

**Big and Sweet**

477. (85 days.) Made a hit from the start. A round melon with red flesh, deliciously sweet clear to the rind. **Our customers tell us it is the finest and most deliciously sweet and tender melon they have ever eaten.** Weights from 32 to 55 pounds. Small white seeds and very few of them. This melon has the largest bright red heart of any melon we have ever seen. Great for shipping and moving around, brings a premium on every market. Pkt. 10c; ounce 25c; 1/4 lb. 65c; lb. \$1.95, Postpaid.



### EARLY KANSAS

480. (85 days.) (Red Seeded Hutchinson.) **Stands dry weather.** Earliest large round faintly striped melon, 30 to 40 lbs. **More popular every year due to earliness, large size, wonderful sweet flavor, and ability to stand hot, dry weather.** Crisp, bright red flesh of fine texture. Reddish-brown seeds.

**Big Pkt. 10c; ounce 25c;**  
**1/4 lb. 60c; lb. \$1.75, Postpaid**

### SUGAR BALL

**Ice Box Size**

486. (60 days.) **Earliest melon that grows.** Thin rind, grayish green color. Fiery red flesh, crisp and sweet. A convenient icebox size, 12 to 15 lbs. We grew a fine batch of them in our Test Gardens. It's very prolific—producing many melons on each vine.

**Big Pkt. 10c; oz. 27c; 1/4 lb. 70c;**  
**lb. \$2.00, Postpaid**

### BUG DUST

**ORDER BUG DUST NOW.** Have it come right along with your seeds. Thousands of our customers have used it satisfactorily for years.  $2\frac{1}{2}$  lbs. together with a handy refillable dust gun for only \$1.00, Postpaid. Order yours now.

### FAMILY MELON PATCH

**ORDER NO. 72**

1 oz. Sugar Ball .....	27c
1 oz. Kleckley Sweet No. 6 .....	25c
1 oz. Dixie Queen .....	25c

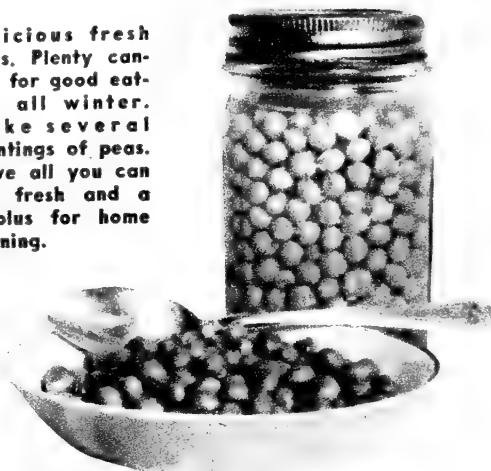
**Regular Catalog Value 77c**

**Postpaid for only 65c**

# PEAS

**CULTURE:** First and most important, if you want a bumper yield **PLANT PEAS EARLY** . . . just as early as possible. They need that cool weather, suffer seriously when planted late. Plant all varieties at the same time (early) and the spread of maturity will keep them coming. The earliest will be ready to eat in 55 days, the latest 74 days, and other maturities in between. Plant them  $2\frac{1}{2}$  inches deep in double rows 4 inches apart (so they grow to support each other). Then, put your double rows  $2\frac{1}{2}$  feet apart. 1 lb. plants a 100 foot row.

Delicious fresh peas. Plenty canned for good eating all winter. Make several plantings of peas. Have all you can eat fresh and a surplus for home canning.



## LITTLE MARVEL

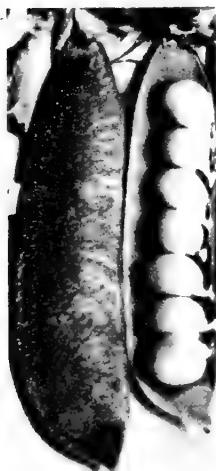
**Tender and Sweet. The Canning Favorite**

180. (60 days.) King of all the early garden peas. Everybody likes this one, because it is noted for its quality, high yields, and earliness. One of the best garden peas in our trial garden every season. **You can't beat it.** Stands a long time in perfect condition for picking. Dark green vines, nearly round pods with square ends. The pods are 3 inches long, plump, well filled—you get 7 to 8 tender peas in each pod. Vines grow 18 inches high. **Quality and flavor unsurpassed.** Make your first planting as soon as you can get into the garden. Other plantings should follow every week. That's the way to have all you want to eat and to can or dry.

Big 3-oz. Pkt. 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 25c; lb. 43c;  
2 lbs. 75c, Postpaid

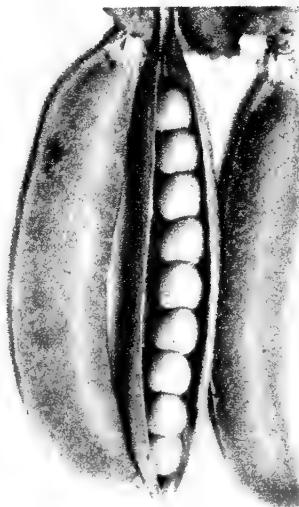


177. THOMAS LAXTON. (63 days.) Best for quick freezing. Always a sure cropper. And you are sure to enjoy the tender, fine flavored peas. **They're delicious!** Pods are 4 inches long, have 7 to 9 large, plump peas. Thomas Laxton produces strong, upstanding vines and yields heavily. Vines grow 2 to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. tall. Very popular with everyone who knows its merits. Big 3-oz. Pkt. 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 25c; lb. 45c;  
2 lbs. 80c, Postpaid.



## GIANT FILLBASKET

178. (73 days.) Called "Fill basket" because of its large pods that are borne in clusters. **Very prolific and easy to pick.** Pods large, dark green, well-filled with wrinkled peas of excellent quality. Vines about 20 inches tall, strong and hardy. They'll certainly fill a basket when they start bearing. See that fine lot of them in the picture. Big 3-oz.  
Pkt. 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 23c; lb. 40c;  
2 lbs. 75c, Postpaid.



## Laxton's Progress Giant Pod

179. (62 days.) The earliest and heaviest yielding of all the large podded peas. Double the size of early kinds. Dark green pods 5 to  $5\frac{1}{2}$  inches long. Plump and pointed. With 7 to 9 big, fat, plump and sweet peas in every pod. So rich and tender! Vines grow 18 inches high.

Big 3-oz. Pkt. 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 25c; lb. 45c;  
2 lbs. 80c, Postpaid

192. DWARF GRAY SUGAR. EATABLE PODDED PEAS (66 days.) All the sweetness and flavor of fresh, tender peas but when the pods are partly filled you can cook pod and all just like you do string beans. Fine as shelled peas. 4 inch pods, well filled. A real delicacy. We know you'll like them. Big 3-oz. Pkt. 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 25c; lb. 45c; 2 lb. 80c, Postpaid.

## Extra Early Kinds

See **EARLY MAY** in color on the back cover. As early as Alaska and sweeter to boot.



## WILT-RESISTANT ALASKA

171. (55 days.) **Earliest of all.** Finest new strain of Wilt-Resistant Alaska Pea. Noted for its **large pod size, big crops, and wonderful flavor.** A great canning variety. Vines grow 2 to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  feet tall. 7 to 9 peas of exceptional quality in every pod. 100% resistant to wilt. Big 3-oz. Pkt. 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 20c; lb. 35c; 2 lbs. 60c, Postpaid.

## INOCULATE YOUR PEAS

**INOCULATE** for early crops and bigger yields. Earl May's Garden Inoculation does it for sure. 10c Home Garden Size, enough for 2 to 4 lbs. of peas or beans. Directions for easy use sent, too. Be sure you order Inoculation. It sure pays! Only 10c, Postpaid.



175. AMERICAN WONDER. (60 days.) A wonder for the home garden. Grows 12 inches tall and matures just a few days after Alaska. **One of the sweetest flavored peas,** 5 to 7 large, delicious peas in every pod. Easily shelled. Big 3-oz. Pkt. 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 22c; lb. 40c; 2 lbs. 70c, Postpaid.



181. BLUE BANTAM. (64 days.) Blue Bantam is to peas what Golden Bantam is to sweetcorn. It has everything you home gardeners want and need. Delicious flavor. Sweet tender blue-green peas, and 8 or 9 of them in the pod. The 15 to 18 inch bushes are very productive, loaded with pods, and they mature reasonably early. **You can't beat it for delicious sweetness and big yield.** Big 3-oz. Pkt. 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 25c; lb. 45c; 2 lbs. 80c, Postpaid.

# Earl May's RADISHES



## EARLY BIRD The Earliest One!

**640.** (20 days.) It wouldn't be a garden without Early Bird. Our customers say our strain is the finest, uniform radish they have ever seen. Globe-shaped, bright scarlet. Flesh pure white. Very fine grained. Crisp and tender. You'll say it's the finest radish you've ever eaten . . . and you'll be eating them three weeks after they are planted.

Pkt. 5c; ounce 18c; 1/4 lb. 35c; lb. 90c, Postpaid



Always Solid, Crisp. Grows as big as a walnut.

## Two Wonderful Giant Radishes

**642. CRIMSON GIANT.** (28 days.) Thousands of you already know this great big radish. Crisp, solid, sweet, tender and twice as big as other early radishes. One of the very finest. You're missing a real treat if you don't plant Crimson Giant.

Pkt. 10c; ounce 20c; 1/4 lb. 40c; lb. 95c, Postpaid

**643. WHITE GIANT.** (28 days.) This is a twin brother for Crimson Giant, only it is snow white. As big as Crimson Giant and just as mild, as solid, as crisp and tender. The two together make an attractive dish, too. Pkt. 10c; ounce 20c; 1/4 lb. 40c; lb. 95c, Postpaid.

639. One packet each of Crimson Giant and White Giant only 15c, Postpaid.



## BUTTERNUT

**712.** (85 days.) Far and away the best squash we have ever eaten. Baked or stewed or made into pies, it is so smooth and delicious you will be delighted. Nothing like it for fine texture and delicious flavor. Handy size for home use, 8 to 10 inches long . . . and most all of it solid meat. It is a big yielder, too. Plant this one sure.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 35c; 1/4 lb. 95c; lb. \$2.95, Postpaid

Enjoy radishes over a long period of time with successive plantings.

**CULTURE:** A packet plants 20 feet. One ounce sows a 100-ft. row. Sow real early, as soon as the ground can be worked. Keep planting radishes clear up until mid-summer and even in the early fall. Rows 12 to 18 inches apart. Cover the seed one-half inch.

## RADISH OFFER

### SPRING AND SUMMER

**No. 73.** Make planting every 10 days and enjoy these tender, crisp radishes.

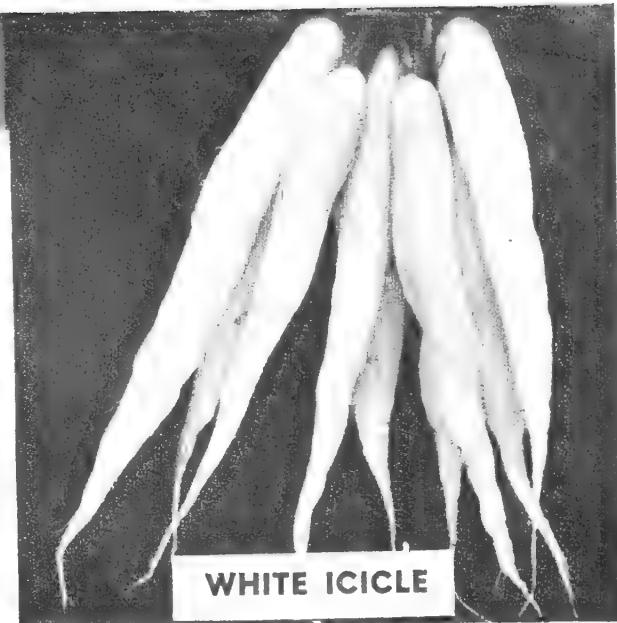
1 oz. Early Bird.....	18c
1 oz. Crimson Giant.....	20c
1 oz. White Icicle .....	20c

Reg. Catalog price..... 58c

ALL FOR  
ONLY.

**45c**

Postpaid



## WHITE ICICLE

## Pure White, Crisp, Tender

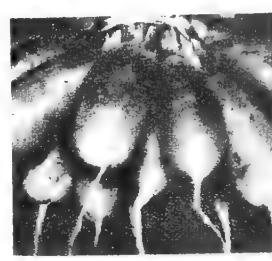
**654.** (27 days.) The favorite everywhere. Remains in eating condition longer than any other first early radish. They are crisp as ice. Tender and juicy and a bunch of these and some bread and butter make a wonderful meal all by themselves. Grows 4 to 6 inches long, pure white, very crisp and brittle. Pkt. 10c; ounce 20c; 1/4 lb. 40c; lb. 95c, Postpaid.



## SPARKLER

**658.** (24 days.) Here's one that comes just five days later than Early Bird. Roots are round and smooth. Bright scarlet red, one-third white. Pure white, crisp, juicy flesh that is always tender. Popular with market gardeners. One of the most attractive radishes of all, and in demand everywhere.

Pkt. 8c; ounce 18c; 1/4 lb. 35c; lb. 90c, Postpaid



## FRENCH BREAKFAST

**644.** (25 days.) A good, reliable favorite. When pulled young is about the finest most crisp, tender of all. Early on the market, early in the home garden. The roots are 3/4-inch thick, 1 1/2 inches long. A bright scarlet with white tip.

Pkt. 10c; ounce 18c; 1/4 lb. 35c; lb. 90c, Postpaid

## WINTER RADISHES



**CULTURE:** Sow in early July. Dig before frost and store in a cool place.

**666. CALIFORNIA WHITE MAMMOTH.** (60 days.) A fine white, crisp Winter Radish, 8 inches long, 2 inches thick. Pkt. 10c; ounce 20c; 1/4 lb. 38c; 1 lb. 95c, Postpaid.

**668. CHINA ROSE.** Roots 6 inches long, 2 inches thick. Smooth, bright rose-red. Very firm. Pkt. 10c; ounce 20c; 1/4 lb. 38c; lb. 95c, Postpaid.

## SQUASH

**CULTURE:** 1 ounce plants 25 to 50 hills. Prefer warm, light, rich soil. Plant the hills 4 to 6 feet each way. Plant 6 or 8 seeds, then thin out to 3 or 4 plants to a hill.

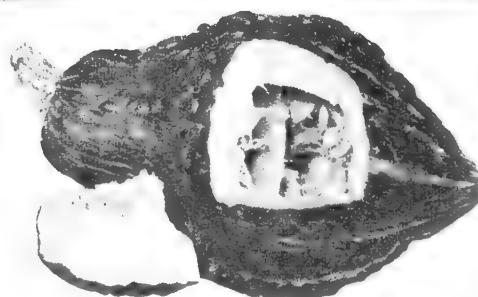


**730. TABLE QUEEN.** (55 days.) The No. 1 table squash. It's small so you can get 2 servings out of each one. About the size of a cocoanut. Dark green, hard-shelled. They keep as well as Hubbard. Flesh rich orange yellow and has fine flavor. Have a big bunch in your cellar for next winter. Pkg. 8c; ounce 18c; 1/4 lb. 50c; lb. \$1.45, Postpaid.



**721. NEW BUTTERCUP.** (90 days.) Finest flavor of all the baking squashes. Acorn-shaped. Originated in North Dakota. Weighs 3 to 5 pounds. Deep rich-orange flesh — tender and very sweet. An excellent keeper.

Big Pkt. 10c; ounce 20c;  
1/4 lb. 55c; lb. \$1.65, Postpaid



## Chicago Warty Hubbard A Winter Keeper

**720.** (95 days.) The top-seller of all the Hubbard Squash. A great winter keeper. Has rich, golden yellow-colored flesh. Fine grained and dry. Weighs about 12 lbs. and is the Queen of the Winter baking squash. Pkt. 10c; ounce 20c; 1/4 lb. 55c; lb. \$1.60, Postpaid.

Earl May

# TOMATOES



**RUTGER'S MAIN CROP  
(77 DAYS)**

### Best for Canning

765. We introduced this great tomato 10 years ago and it has been growing in popularity ever since. It is the best, large, red, main crop tomato of them all. It is the most dependable big crop tomato, too. *The fruits are large and the quality is unsurpassed. The plants are strong and have just enough foliage to protect the fruits from sun scald.* The large, bright scarlet tomatoes ripen from the inside out, evenly all the way through. The deep red, solid flesh is exceptionally fine for slicing and canning. No hard cores. *They hold their large uniform size and keep bearing clear up until frost hits them in late fall.* We had Rutger's Tomatoes this year from our own vines up until the tenth of October. You'll get a larger yield from Rutger's than any other variety we know of. An all around, all purpose, home garden tomato.

**Big Pkt. (over 800 seeds) 10c; 1/2 oz. 30c;  
ounce 55c; 1/4 lb. \$1.65, Postpaid**



757. **MARGLOBE.** (77 days.) Always produces a fine crop of very uniform, smooth, round, solid fruits. Marglobe is a great big fellow, bright red, very productive.

**Pkt. 5c; 1/2 oz. 25c; ounce 45c; 1/4 lb. \$1.30, Postpaid**

756. **PONDEROSA.** (88 days.) The great big tomato. **Big Pkt. 10c; 1/2 oz. 50c; ounce 95c, Postpaid**

755. **RED OXHEART.** (90 days.) Enormous tapering fruit. **Big Pkt. 10c; 1/2 oz. 50c; ounce 95c, Postpaid**

759. **WHITE QUEEN.** (78 days.) Delicate, mild, anti-acid. Ivory white.

**Pkt. 15c; 1/2 oz. 45c, Postpaid**

### PRESERVING TOMATO

784. **YELLOW PEAR.** Pkt. 10c; 1/2 oz. 40c, Postpaid.



### WISCONSIN 55

**Extra meaty. Extra mild.**

760. (75 days.) The extreme meatiness and grand mild flavor of this tomato will give you a real thrill. It's a big, smooth, deep red tomato with extra thick side walls and inner walls. That ought to be enough but it isn't all by a long ways. *Wisconsin 55 is a very vigorous grower, makes a tremendous vine growth, and goes on producing wonderful big meaty tomatoes right up until frost.* It successfully resists unfavorable conditions that seriously affect many less vigorous varieties. We will promise you that you'll be glad you tried this fine new tomato, developed by the Wisconsin Experimental Station. Order it today.

**Pkt. 15c; 1/4 oz. 35c, Postpaid**

### TOMATO PLANTS



### BETTER and MORE CONVENIENT

For FAST GROWTH and EARLY BEARING you can't beat these OUTDOOR GROWN Tomato Plants. They are tough and sturdy. They start quicker, grow faster and bear earlier than the soft tender hot house plants. Shipment made at the proper time for your territory. (We cannot make shipments of smaller quantities than listed.)

#### Your Choice Of:

741. Rutger

740. Wisconsin 55

743. Red Cloud

744. New Sioux

**25 Plants 49c; 50 Plants 79c**

**100 Plants \$1.15**

**200 Plants \$1.75**

**500 Plants \$2.98**

**All Postpaid**

### ORANGE JUBILEE (Main Crop)

767. (75 days.) A Rutger type tomato that ripens to a real orange color and the flesh is tangerine orange. Wonderful flavor, too, and good big size. Very thick wall, very few seeds and is smooth and free from cracking.

**Pkt. 10c; 1/4 oz. 35c; 1/2 oz. 65c, Postpaid**



### SIOUX

**Smoothest Large Early Tomato**

762. (65 days.) You can count dozens of big smooth tomatoes on the Sioux vine above. The foliage was removed to show you what a wonderful set of fine fruit you can expect from this new variety. *In our test gardens, every blossom cluster on Sioux vines set from 2 to 7 tomatoes (as many as 97 tomatoes on a single vine!). That means not only a great bumper crop but also a continuous supply of tomatoes.* The fruit is large, extra smooth, and much more meaty-solid than the old varieties. Sioux ripens uniformly to a beautiful bright red (no green shoulders or spots) and the flavor is truly delicious. Be sure you have Sioux in your garden this year. You'll agree it is a great variety.

**Big Pkt. 15c; 1/4 ounce 30c; ounce \$1.00,  
Postpaid. (See plant prices at the left.)**

**Sioux and Red Cloud** were developed by the University of Nebraska Agricultural College, as a result of breeding and selection by Dr. H. O. Werner. They were developed to provide varieties that set fruit even under the unfavorable conditions of mid-summer heat and hot winds.



### RED CLOUD

**Weeks Ahead of Others**

761. (57 days.) You have never seen a tomato like Red Cloud. When the picture at the left was taken, there were 83 Red Clouds on that one vine. Two pickings had already been made. (Foliage was tucked under to show the tomatoes.) *Red Cloud tomatoes are firm, smooth, meaty, and medium size . . . exactly the kind you prefer for slicing and canning.* And you can see how easy they are to find and to pick. Red Cloud ripens unbelievably early! Plants set out early in May yield some ripe tomatoes in Mid-July and will be in full production by August 1st. *Three to four weeks earlier than Rutger!* You can be eating Red Cloud out of your garden when tomatoes are selling for 7c to 10c apiece. Order Today.

**Pkt. 15c; 1/4 oz. 35c; 1/2 oz. 60c, Postpaid**

764. **NEW BISON.** (63 days.) Extra early with a heavy crop. A little larger than Earliana, deep scarlet, meaty and very few seeds. Often produces over 40 lbs. of ripe fruit on one plant.

**Pkt. 10c; 1/2 oz. 35c; ounce 60c, Postpaid**

**CULTURE:** 1 packet produces 100 plants; 1 ounce about 1500 plants. Four or five weeks ahead of when you want to set plants in the garden start the seed in a hotbed or small box in the window. Plant in rows 3 inches apart, cover  $\frac{1}{2}$  to  $\frac{1}{4}$  inch deep. When plants are 1 inch high transplant to 1 inch apart each way. When all danger of frost is past set the plants in the garden 3 to 4 feet apart each way.



## PEPPER PLANTS

Sturdy plants, ready to make fast growth for an earlier yield. For extra convenience and excellent results order pepper plants. Shipment made at the proper planting time.

### Your Choice of:

**561. California Wonder**

**562. Pimiento**

**563. King of the North**

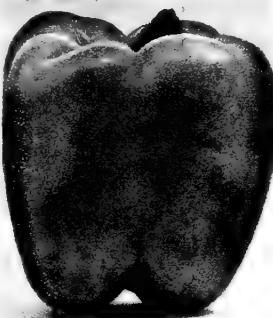
**25 plants 55c; 50 plants \$1.00;**

**100 plants \$1.75; 200 plants \$2.85;**

**All Postpaid.**

**SEED CULTURE:** Same as tomatoes. 1 packet will produce about 75 plants. 1 ounce makes about 1,000 plants.

### EARLY THICK MEAT



**570. (63 days.) Extra early. Very large square shape, 4 to 5 in. long and 3½ in. thick. The thickest flesh, heaviest fruits of all Peppers. Ideal to stuff and bake and use in fresh salads. Plants are stocky. Erect growth holds the fruit well off the ground. The mildest sweet flavor you ever tasted. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 45c; ounce 80c, Postpaid.**

### CALIFORNIA WONDER

**581. (68 days.) Extra large, glossy, green, almost square fruit measuring 5 inches long, 4 inches wide. Crisp, juicy, mild and tender. Excellent quality, extra thick flesh, and a heavy yielder. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 40c; oz. 65c; ¼ lb. \$1.75, Postpaid.**

### KING OF THE NORTH



**572. (53 days.) Exceptionally early ideal for Northern states. Great big fellows 6 inches long, 4 inches across. Brilliant red when ripe. Big yields under all kinds of weather. Pkt. 8c; ½ oz. 40c; ounce 65c; ¼ lb. \$1.75, Postpaid.**

### PIMENTO

**582. (72 days.) A heart-shaped pepper, very mild. Dark green, changing to bright crimson. Flesh is thick, sweet, and tender. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 40c; ounce 65c; ¼ lb. \$1.75, Postpaid.**

### RED CHILI

**580. (80 days.) Best hot pepper for seasoning, canning, drying and pickling. Grows and yields heavily anywhere. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 40c; ounce 65c, Postpaid.**

**SEEDS: One ounce sows 100 foot row. Sow in March or April about 1 inch deep, rows 15 inches apart. Again in August or September for a late fall crop.**

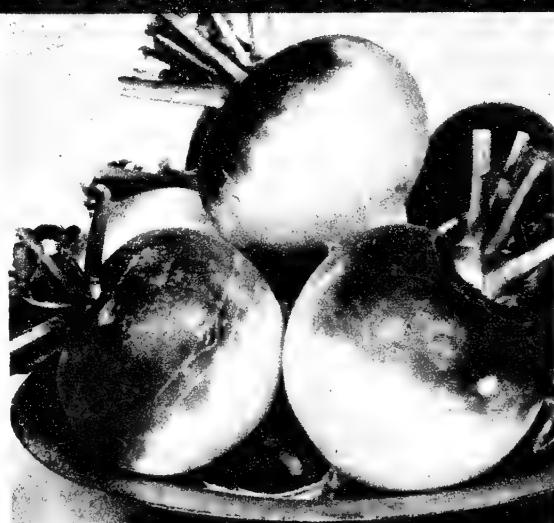


### HOT WEATHER EVERBEARING SPINACH NEW ZEALAND

**"Cut and come again." And, you have it right up until frost.**

**685. (70 days.) Entirely different from others. This native of New Zealand thrives right on through the hot weather and gives you wonderfully fine flavored "greens" right up until frost. The plants make a wide spreading growth. When you pinch out the last 3 or 4 inches of tender growth it rebranches again and again. Before long you will cut them again and so it goes week after week until frost. Very dark green, very "meaty" foliage. Allow 3 feet of row width when you plant and soak seed in warm water several hours before planting.) Pkt. 10c; ounce 22c; ¼ lb. 65c, Postpaid.**

## TURNIPS



**CULTURE: One ounce sows 125-ft. row, 2 to 3 pounds per acre. Cover the seed ¼ to ½ inch deep. Plant in early spring or in the middle of July for a big fall crop.**

### PURPLE TOP WHITE GLOBE

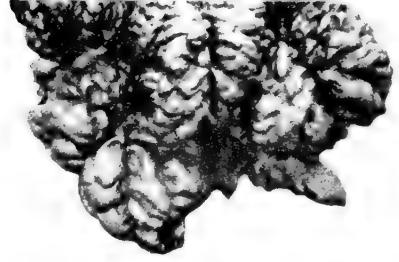
**818. (55 days) Perfect globe-shaped turnip. *The Housewife's favorite everywhere.* Pure white, fine grained flesh is mild and sweet. Smooth and uniform. Keeps especially well. Excellent quality. Pkt. 5c; ounce 15c; ¼ lb. 35c; lb. 85c; 3 lbs. \$2.15, Postpaid.**

### EARLY PURPLE TOP STRAP LEAF

**812. (45 days.) One that is used for the home garden in a big way. The roots are 3 to 5 inches in diameter. It's flat with a purple top, white below. Very fine-grained and sweet. Pkt. 7c; ounce 17c; ¼ lb. 35c; lb. 85c; 3 lbs. \$2.15, Postpaid.**

### BLOOMSDALE

**682. For tender, luscious greens you can't beat the large, crumpled glossy leaves of Bloomsdale. Excellent for canning, too. Can be planted very, very early. A prolific grower, sure to come in abundance. Pkt. 5c; ounce 15c; ¼ lb. 40c; ½ lb. 75c, Postpaid.**



### MUSTARD SPINACH

**680. In addition to the rich spinach taste there's a very mild taste of mustard. Usually ready to eat in 3 to 4 weeks. The leaves are very tender, dark green, long and broad and smooth. Pkt. 10c; ounce 18c; ¼ lb. 50c; ½ lb. 85c, Postpaid.**

### KING OF DENMARK

**684. (45 days.) This is the great canning spinach. It has large spreading plants that carry broad, rounded very dark leaves which are somewhat crumpled. Very hardy and of good quality. Pkt. 8c; ounce 18c; ¼ lb. 45c; ½ lb. 80c, Postpaid.**



## REDUCE YOUR FOOD BILLS

**A garden will do it! Bushels of fresh-picked vegetables will cut many dollars off of your food bills. And you will be enjoying the freshest, most delicious, most healthful foods that money can buy.**

### PLANT A GARDEN THIS YEAR

## PARSNIPS



**CULTURE: One ounce will sow a 200-ft. row. Sow early in the Spring on mellow soil, spaded deep.**

### HOLLOW CROWN

**552. (125 days.) This selected strain is the best of them all. The flesh is fine grained. The flavor is superior, sweet, tender and clear white. Hollow Crown has light thick shoulders, grows 10 to 12 inches long, is smooth and uniform. Makes tremendous yields. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 15c; ounce 25c; ¼ lb. 60c, Postpaid.**

### RUTABAGA

**CULTURE: Same as Turnips, except planting should be made in late June.**

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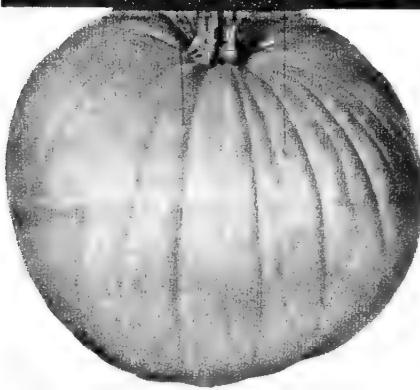


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**CULTURE.** 1 packet of seed plants about 6 hills; 1 ounce 25 hills; 4 lbs. will plant an acre. Plant after weather is warm, in hills 8 to 10 feet apart. Give the vines plenty of room.

## RUSSIAN MAMMOTH SUNFLOWER

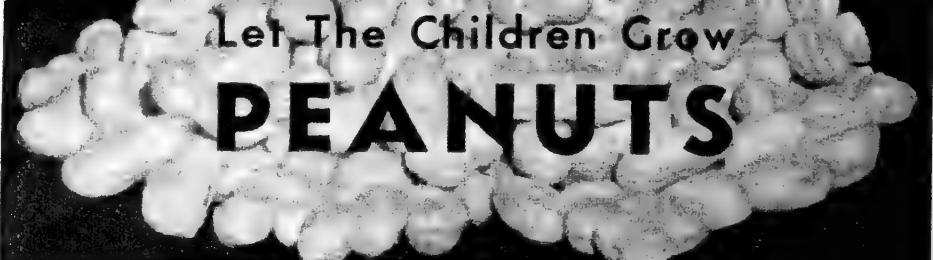


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# PEANUTS



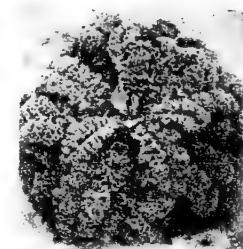
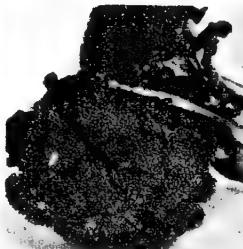
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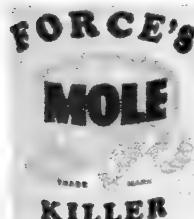
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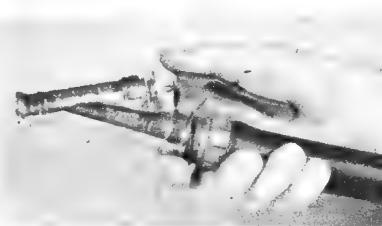
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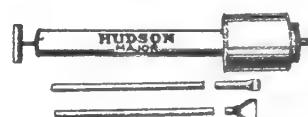
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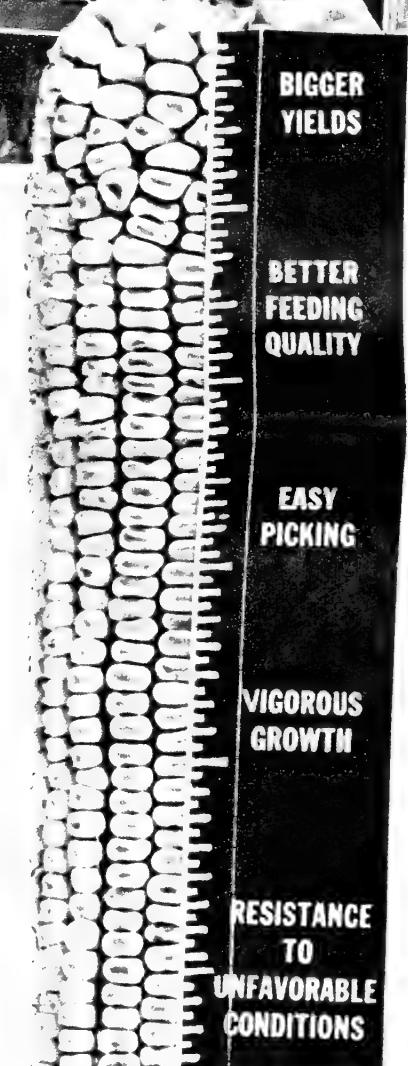
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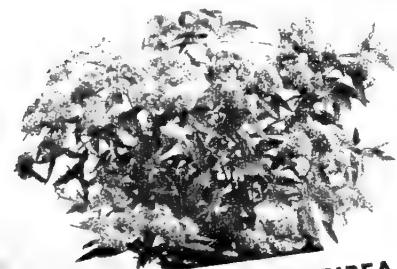


# Bridal Wreath (*Spirea Van Houtte*)



**DOUBLE BRIDAL WREATH**

5443. (*Spirea Prunifolia*) Ever lovelier, even more strikingly beautiful than the single flowered Bridal Wreath . . . for the white flowers are very double. Blooms to snow-white glory in May. Extra Select 18 to 24 inch Plants: Each 89c; 2 for \$1.65; 4 for \$3.00, Postpaid.



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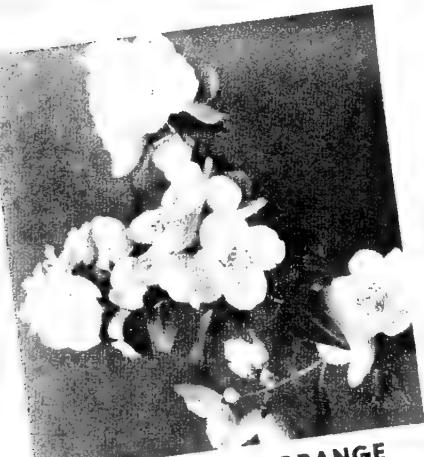
5437. (*Froebel*) Clusters of rosy-red flowers cover the bushes in May and June, and occasionally appear during the summer. Beautiful autumn colors in the fall. (3 or 3½ ft.)

## SWEET MOCK ORANGE

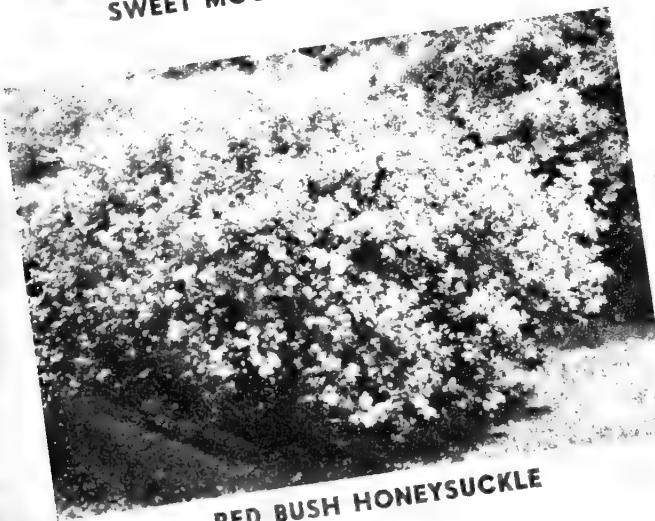
5321. (*Syringa Coronarius*) Creamy white flowers bloom abundantly in June with so much fragrance that a single spray of bloom perfumes a room. (8 to 10 ft.)

## RED BUSH HONEYSUCKLE

5315. This improved strain of a worthy favorite has red flowers in May and June which are followed by red berries in the summer. For screen and border plantings with growth up to 10 feet, plant 4 or 5 feet apart. For trimmed hedge of 5 to 7 feet high, plant 2 feet apart.



**SWEET MOCK ORANGE**



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5444. This beautiful, white flowering shrub has done more to beautify American homes than any other ornamental shrub. It is hardy everywhere, from the plains clear into Canada. Every twig will be literally covered with beautiful clusters of white flowers in early Spring. It has been well named the "Bridal Wreath". Will grow against the foundation of the house, in sun or partial shade. We guarantee you fine specimen plants, often start blooming the first year planted. **ALL POSTPAID.**

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Giant, 2-3 ft. Plant	.60	1.10	2.00	3.60
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## WEIGELA ROSEA

5325. One of the more entrancing flowering shrubs. In early spring the bush is completely covered with beautiful rosy-pink flowers. They are bell-shaped and delightfully fragrant. Grows 5 to 6 feet high. Excellent for specimen and for foundation plantings.

## RED FLOWERING QUINCE

5322. Red flowers cover the branches in very early spring, even before foliage opens. So much glowing color, it has been called Fire Bush. Grows 3 to 4 feet and is ideal for a flowering hedge and specimen plantings.

## PERSIAN PURPLE LILACS

5319. Lavender flowers come intermittently through mid-summer and often again in late fall. Very fine for border and screen plantings. Grows about 7 feet high.



**RED FLOWERING QUINCE**



**WEIGELA ROSEA**



**PERSIAN PURPLE LILAC**

## RED LEAF BARBERRY

Pictured on the opposite page.

5420. Rich lustrous bronze-red foliage flames still more brilliant in the Fall. Bright red berries hang on all Winter.

### 12 to 18 Inch Size

Each	59c	2 for	\$1.10;
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### 18 to 24 Inch Size

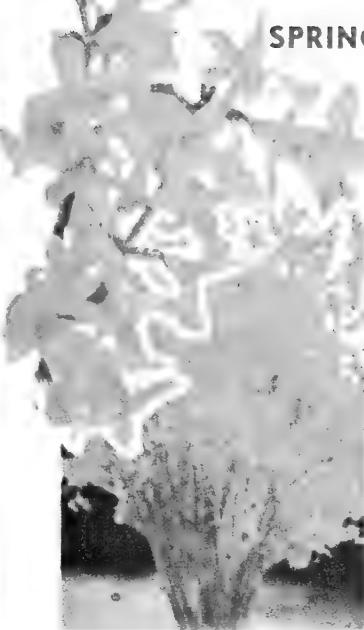
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## SPRING GLORY FORSYTHIA



**RED BARBERRY**

See Opposite Page for Prices



**FORSYTHIA  
GOLDEN BELL**

5313. The Golden Yellow flowers of this Forsythia are one of the harbingers of Spring. Even before the foliage appears, the bush is a glowing mass of golden bloom. Deep green foliage is attractive throughout the season. Grows 4 to 5 ft. For price, see right below.



**SPIREA BILLIARDI**

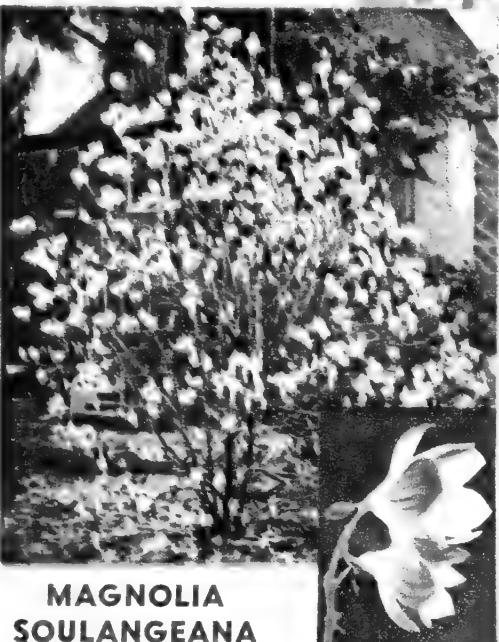
5438. The feathery plume-like blooms of this Spirea are 5 to 8 inches long, rich dark pink in color, and beautifully dense. Blooms from July to September and grows 4 to 5 ft. For prices, see right below.



**ALTHEA, Rose of Sharon**

One of the very loveliest of all flowering shrubs. The rose like flowers of Althea are very double and they completely cover the bush during July until frost. You will enjoy a continuous parade of beautiful bloom. Stately formal growth of 8 to 10 ft. Your choice of three lovely colors.

**RED (5305)      PURPLE (5307)      PINK (5306)**  
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**MAGNOLIA  
SOULANGEANA**

*Soulangeana Nigra*

5400. (Pictured above.) Very large and delightfully fragrant blooms come on real early, even before foliage. They are pinkish white, like a tulip in shape with a purplish color at the base of the petals on the outside. Foliage is rich waxy green. (8 to 10 ft.) Well rooted plants, with buds already on them and sure to bloom the first year. Selected 2-foot Root Wrapped Plants. Each \$4.75, Postpaid.

5435. **MAGNOLIA SOULANGÉANA NIGRA.** (Inset) Large flowers are several shades darker. Bloom in March and intermittently all summer. Makes robust growth to 10 ft. Selected 2 foot Root Wrapped Plants. Each \$4.75, Postpaid.



**AZALEA MOLLIS**

5406. Clusters of large flowers cover this shrub in May and June, making a grand show of shimmering beauty. Grows 3 to 4 feet tall and just as wide. Shades of pink, yellow, or orange (our choice). A protective mulch is needed for 10 below zero.

**9 to 12 inch plants, Balled in Peat Moss**

**STURDY OUTDOOR GROWN PLANTS, EACH \$1.35; 2 for \$2.50,  
POSTPAID**



**TAMARIX HISPIDA**



**SPIREA ANTHONY WATERER**

*Picture at the left*

5436. Most popular of the low growing shrubs. Grows only 2 to 3 feet high and makes a very dense, compact bush. Lovely rose-red flowers come on generously in early Summer and continue until Fall. Plant Anthony Waterer in your shrub border foreground, in a corner planting, or for a low informal hedge. Thrives in sun or part shade.

**Select 15 to 18 inch Plants**

**Each 65c; 2 for \$1.19; 4 for \$2.10, Postpaid**

**Super Select 18 to 24 inch Plants**

**Each 89c; 2 for \$1.65; 4 for \$3.00, Postpaid**

5324. A most beautiful shrub for background and screen planting. The feathery silver blue foliage is very attractive and rosy-pink flowers come on at intervals all summer long. Grows 10 to 12 feet, unless pruned, and from 5 to 6 feet wide. Thrives in full sun or shade. See prices above the picture of Tamari-

# Beautify Your Home With Flowering Shrubs

Just "houses" become attractive and greatly admired HOMES when framed with beautiful flowering shrubs. A nicely planted property is a source of real pride and pleasure . . . and more than that!, such property is actually worth more money because it makes a fine impression on everyone who sees it.



OLD FASHIONED Bouquet

## SNOWBALLS

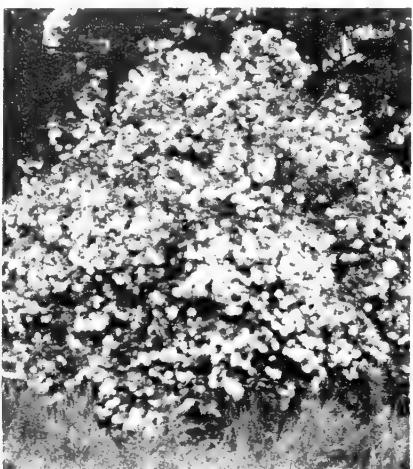
5450. Will be literally covered with clusters of big, white showy flowers in May and June. Will grow 12 to 15 feet tall. (Prices same as the 2 shrubs at the right).

### PINK SNOWBALL

5451. (Carlesi). Blooms in the Spring. Its delicate pink flowers will perfume the entire yard. Grows 4 to 5 ft. tall.

Selected 12 to 18 inch Plants  
Each \$2.85; 2 for \$5.50, Postpaid

Jumbo 18 to 24 inch Plants  
Each \$3.50; 2 for \$6.75, Postpaid



## CRAPE MYRTLE

A harder strain of one of the South's most popular shrubs. Flowers have the loveliest clear coloring and a soft crepe-like texture. Blooms continually from July 'til Fall. Will bloom this year. Blooms come on new growth. For more vigorous growth and bloom trim all branches off about 6 inches above the ground after planting.

RED—Order No. 5473

PURPLE—Order No. 5472

PINK—Order No. 5474

Select 18 to 24 inch Plants

Each 55c; 2 for \$1.00; 6 for \$1.80, Postpaid



## SYRINGA VIRGINAL [Semi-Double Mock Orange]



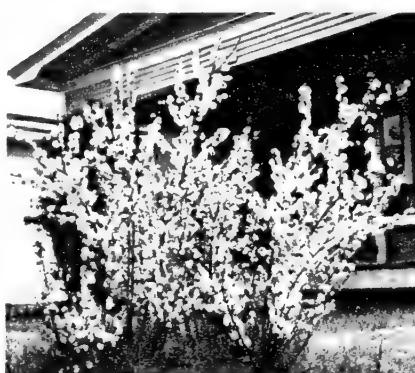
5477. One of the finest of all white flowering shrubs. The lovely semi-double flowers are so intensely fragrant that a single spray of bloom will perfume a room. Blooms very profusely in May and June and intermittently all summer long. The bush makes a shapely growth to 5 or 6 feet high. Ideal for foundation or screen plantings and beautiful as a specimen planting. Perfectly hardy.

All Postpaid

Super Select 18 to 24 inch Bushes:  
Each \$1.00; 2 for \$1.80; 4 for \$3.50

Jumbo 2 to 3 foot Bushes:  
Each \$1.25; 2 for \$2.25; 4 for \$4.00

A few dollars spent for flowering Shrubs will bring new beauty and increased value to your Home, and will provide you with an almost endless abundance of bloom from early spring throughout the summer. These flowering shrubs require hardly any care and are completely hardy. Each one you plant is a lifetime investment in beauty.



## PINK FLOWERING ALMOND

5404. Even before the leaves appear, in real early spring, this shrub is a mass of blooming beauty. Every branch and twig is lined with small, very double pink flowers which resemble darling little roses. The bush makes a shapely rounded growth 3 to 4 feet high. Grows and thrives everywhere.

Prices on Pink Flowering Almond, Weigela Eva Rathke,  
And Snowball (pictured at the left)  
Alike or Assorted, Postpaid

2 to 3-Year Size Plants	Each	Per 2	Per 4
Super Select 18 to 24 inch.....	\$0.69	\$1.30	\$2.40
Jumbo 2 to 3 foot.....	.85	1.60	3.00

## FLOWERING PLUM (Prunus Triloba)

5401. Called the "Rose Tree of China." Bright pink blooms stud every branchlet and twig in May before the foliage comes on. The double quilled flowers bloom so abundantly that even the branches are hidden by them. Grows to 8 feet. Sturdy 2 to 3 ft. plants. Each \$1.35; 2 for \$2.60; 4 for \$4.75, Postpaid.

## THE HYDRANGEAS

(Pictured on the Opposite Page)

### BLUE PRINCE HYDRANGEA

Flowers are large and come on from July until frost. The large blue flower heads are very attractive. Plant in full shade. Acid soil will bring out the blue color. Needs considerable mulching in northern states. Order No. 5431. Sturdy, 2-year, outdoor grown plants: Each \$1.50; 2 for \$2.75, Postpaid. Potted Plants—Order No. 2625. Each 45c; 2 for 75c, Postpaid.

### PINK HYDRANGEA (P.G.)

5433. Flowers are cone-shaped, often a foot in length. Blooms July until frost. Flowers turn from whitish pink to shades of bronzy pink. (3 to 4 ft.) Super Select 18 to 24 inch Plants: Each 85c; 2 for \$1.65. Jumbo 2 to 3 ft. Plants: Each \$1.00; 2 for \$1.85, Postpaid.

### HYDRANGEA HILLS OF SNOW (A.G.)

5432. Likes shade. From June to August it is covered with huge rounded white flowers resembling snowballs. (3 to 4 ft.) Super Select 18 to 24 inch Plants: Each 95c; 2 for \$1.80. Jumbo 2 to 3 ft. Plants: Each \$1.10; 2 for \$2.00, Postpaid.



5455

### FRENCH LILACS

Most beautiful, most fragrant of all our flowers. Enormous and compact trusses of bloom with exquisite coloring. Fine for cutting. Our big, thrifty and fully hardy plants often start blooming the second year after planting. They are grown on their own roots not grafted.

5455. Charles Joly (Double).  
5458. Ellen Willmott (Double).  
5463. President Grevy (Double).

Select 12 to 18 inch plants  
Each 90c; 2 for \$1.50; 4 for \$2.80

Super Select 18 to 24 inch plants  
Each \$1.25; 2 for \$2.25; 4 for \$4.25

ALL POSTPAID

### FRENCH LILAC SPECIAL

Order No. 5482. One each of the 3 French Lilacs pictured above, 12 to 15 inch plants.

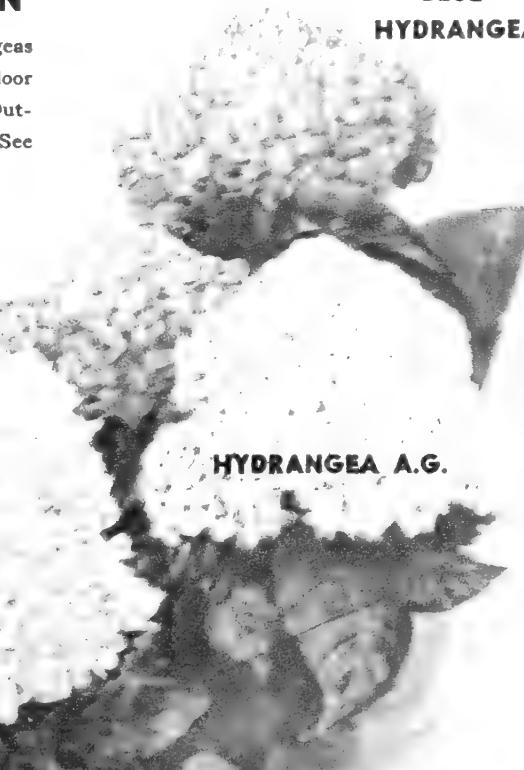
ALL 3 ONLY \$2.25, POSTPAID

### HYDRANGEA COLLECTION

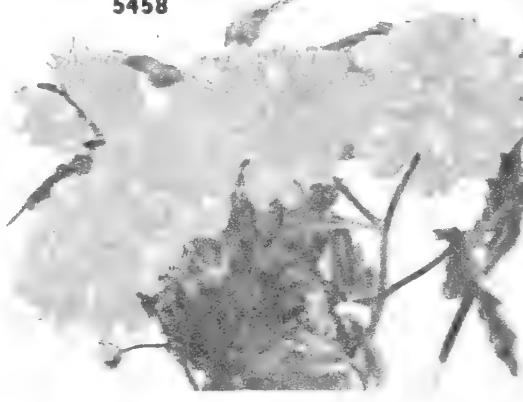
Order No. 5427. One each of the 3 Hydrangeas pictured here. 1 Potted Blue Prince, 1 Outdoor Grown 18 to 24 inch Hydrangea P. G., and 1 Outdoor Grown 18 to 24 inch Hydrangea A. G. See opposite page for complete description.

ALL 3 ONLY \$1.95, POSTPAID

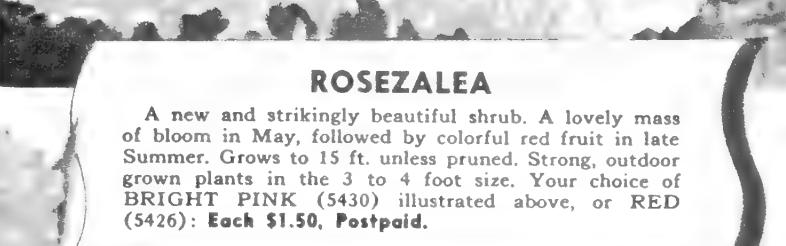
### HYDRANGEA P.G.



HYDRANGEA P.G.



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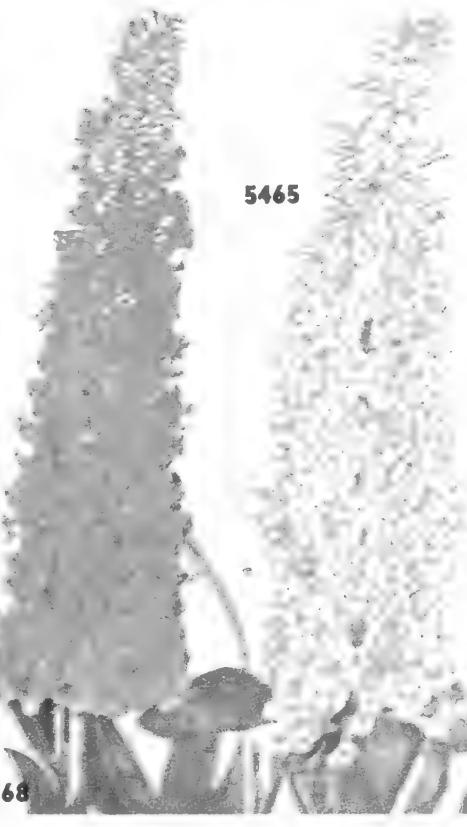
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### ROSEZALEA

A new and strikingly beautiful shrub. A lovely mass of bloom in May, followed by colorful red fruit in late Summer. Grows to 15 ft. unless pruned. Strong, outdoor grown plants in the 3 to 4 foot size. Your choice of BRIGHT PINK (5430) illustrated above, or RED (5426): Each \$1.50, Postpaid.



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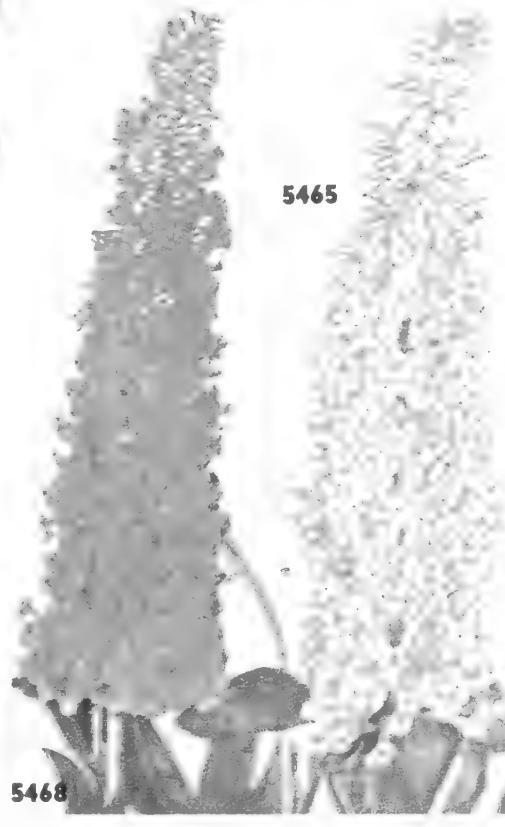


5465

### KERRIA DOUBLE

5383. (Japonica.) The ball like shape of the very double golden flowers of this Kerria will remind you of button chrysanthemums. They are very beautiful and the golden yellow blooms keep coming the whole summer long. Excellent for bouquets, too. The shrub grows 4 to 5 feet and is densely bushy. 18 to 24 inch Plants. Each \$1.10; 2 for \$2.10, Postpaid.

### BLUE HYDRANGEA



5468

### SUMMER LILACS (Buddleia)

Three of the finest Buddleia to bring you abundant and continuous bloom from early summer until frost. For free blooming habit no shrub compares with the "Summer Lilacs". Fine for cutting, too. Compact growth of 4 to 5 feet dies down in the winter and comes gloriously to flower each succeeding season.

5468 Royal Red      5465 Pink Dawn

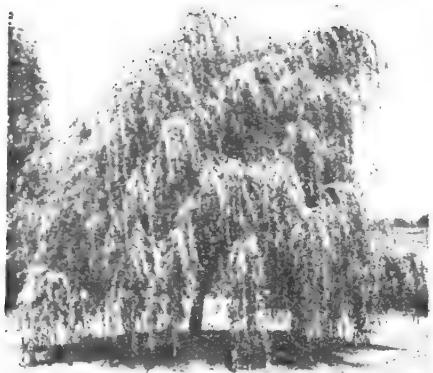
5416 Empire Blue

Each 75c

### SUMMER LILAC SPECIAL

Order No. 5471  
One each of the 3 Buddleia pictured above.

ALL 3  
ONLY \$2.00  
POSTPAID

**5815. NIOBE GOLDEN WEEPING WILLOW.**

Gracefully drooping branches and a golden colored bark make Niobe Golden Weeping Willow a most attractive tree in both winter and summer. The branches often droop clear to the ground and the golden bark is lovely to see the year around. Niobe is a rapid grower. Attractive when planted in a prominent place as shown in the picture, and especially attractive near a lily pool or a rock garden.

EACH	PER 2
4 to 5 ft. Size, Not Prepaid	\$0.75
5 to 6 ft. Size, Not Prepaid	1.10
6 to 8 ft. Size, Not Prepaid	1.59

NOT PREPAID	EACH	Per 2
5 to 6 ft. Size	\$2.70	\$5.00
6 to 8 ft. Size	3.70	6.85

**CUT LEAF WEEPING BIRCH**

5803. One of America's most beautiful trees. The foliage is of the cut leaf type and the branches droop gracefully. The bark becomes glistening white after the tree grows to 6 or 8 feet high. Water it generously when you plant it and be sure to give it water in July and August the first year. Then it will forge ahead to make you a beautiful tree.

NOT PREPAID	EACH	Per 2
5 to 6 ft. Size	\$2.70	\$5.00
6 to 8 ft. Size	3.70	6.85

**HARD MAPLE**

5805. This is the tree that colors up so gloriously every fall. At the first hint of frost, the foliage turns to scarlet and orange and yellow and all the lovely tints and shades in between. It is a very hard wooded and long lived tree, and develops into the most perfect shaped of them all. Will furnish maple syrup for you in due time.

5 to 6 ft. Size: Each \$2.50; 2 for \$4.50; 6 to 8 ft. Size: Each \$3.50; 2 for \$6.45, Not Prepaid.

**LOMBARDY POPLARS**

5804. At the left, you see the stately pyramidal growth of the Lombardy. It is a wonderful tree for planting along a border and is the finest tree for screening purposes. The leaves go clear down to the ground and the tree makes very fast growth.

NOT PREPAID	Each	Per 4	Per 12
5 to 6 ft. Size	\$0.65	\$2.35	\$6.25
6 to 8 ft. Size	.85	3.00	8.25
8 to 10 ft. Size	1.15	4.20	11.00

**Lombardy Poplar Special**  
Order No. 5632  
3 to 4 ft. Trees Postpaid  
**8 for \$1.00**

**Pussy Willow**

5410. Popular because of the large fuzzy catkins which come out all up and down the stem in very early spring. You can cut the branches in February, put them in water and the "Pussies" will bloom in the house.

2 to 3 ft. size, Each 50c;  
2 for 90c, Postpaid.

**AMERICAN ELM**

5800. Truly the monarch of the plains. It does not make such rapid growth as the Chinese Elm but it develops into a great and noble tree. American Elms throughout the country tower away above everything and provide wonderful shade over a wide area.

NOT PREPAID	Each	Per 2
5 to 6 ft. Size	\$1.00	\$1.75
6 to 8 ft. Size	1.50	2.50
8 to 10 ft. Size	2.15	3.75

**CHINESE ELM**

5801. The Chinese Elm is the most popular shade tree because of its rapid growth and beauty. It will make an excellent, well shaped, attractive shade tree in five years. Our trees are hardy, outdoor grown, heavy rooted. Once planted they do not need any further attention.

NOT PREPAID	Each	Per 2	Per 4	Per 10
5 to 6 ft. Size	\$1.00	\$1.85	\$3.50	\$7.85
6 to 8 ft. Size	1.50	2.75	5.25	12.50
8 to 10 ft. Size	2.40	4.25	8.00	17.50

**CHINESE ELM SEEDLINGS**

(For other Seedling Trees see Page 51.)

5600. This wonderful, rapid growing tree that stands cold, heat, and dry weather, deserves every compliment that's given it. Cut the trees to about 6 inches from the ground . . . this will make them grow thick and bushy for a wind break. If you want several rows, space the rows 15 to 20 feet apart. Ours are fine, healthy, vigorous young trees, hardy outdoor nursery grown.

All	Per	Per	Per	Per	Per
Prepaid	25	50	100	200	500
12-18 in.	\$0.75	\$1.35	\$2.50	\$3.50	\$8.75
18-24 in.	1.00	1.85	3.50	4.75	11.75
2-3 ft.	1.65	3.00	5.75	8.50	17.50
3-4 ft.	3.00	5.75	10.75	18.50	35.00

**CHINESE ELM SPECIALS**

Selected Seedlings, not as well-branched as the Shade Tree Grades listed above.

5636. 2 to 3 ft. Size, 20 for \$1.00; 40 for \$2.00; 60 for \$3.00, Postpaid.

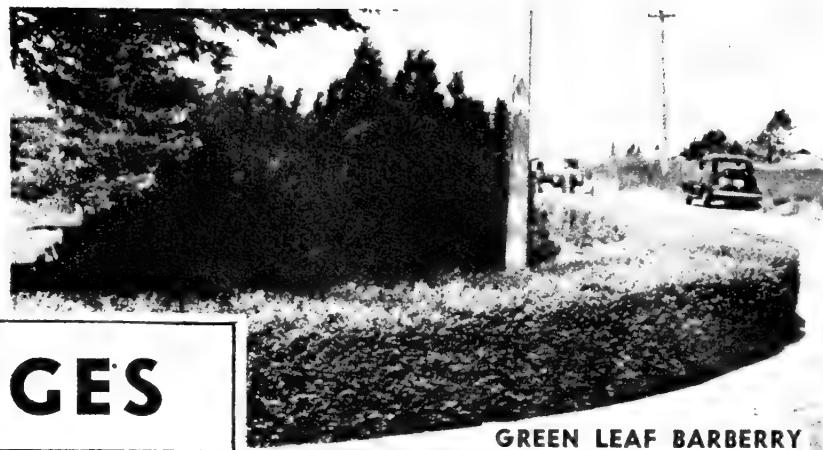
5637. 3-4 ft. Size, 12 for only \$1.00, Postpaid. Order Early.

5638. 4 to 5 ft. Size, 20 trees for only \$2.35; 40 for only \$4.70, Not Prepaid.



HARDY AMOOR PRIVET

## HEDGES



GREEN LEAF BARBERRY

### Russian Olive

**5618.** Thick, silvery green leaves give the Russian Olive a distinctive and attractive appearance. Will grow 8 to 10 feet for screening or background or can be held to any size down to 2 feet. Extremely hardy. Plant 1 foot apart.

#### 2-Year Size, Well Branched Plants

Prepaid	Per 12	Per 25	Per 50	Per 100
12 to 18 inch.....	\$ .95	\$1.85	\$3.35	
18 to 24 inch.....	1.30	2.50	4.75	

### RED LEAF BARBERRY

**5502.** Rich lustrous bronze-red foliage through the entire season, becoming even more brilliant in the Summer, and changing to vivid orange-scarlet in the Autumn. Brilliant red berries stay on all Winter. Makes very bushy growth. Sturdy 12 to 15 inch Plants.

12 for \$3.25; 25 for \$5.85;

50 for \$11.25, Postpaid

### Russian Mulberry

**5608.** Excellent for a clipped hedge, 2 to 6 feet. Grows very rapidly and gets very dense with frequent clippings. Leaves are large and rich green. Extremely hardy. Plant 1 foot apart.

#### 2-Year Size, Well Branched Plants

Prepaid	Per 12	Per 25	Per 50	Per 100
12 to 18 in. \$0.55	\$0.98	\$1.79	\$3.19	
18 to 24 in. .75	1.45	2.55	4.25	

### Rose Hedge

#### Gruss an Teplitz

**Order No. 5515.** Could anything be more strikingly beautiful than a hedge of Everblooming bright red roses. Gruss an Teplitz is a rose of richest scarlet. It is very hardy, grows most vigorously and is in bloom all the time. The blooms are delightfully fragrant. Grows to about 3 feet high. (Plant 2 to 3 feet apart.)

9 to 12 inch Bushes

6 for \$3.50 12 for \$6.65

18 for \$9.30

Prepaid

### BRIDAL WREATH

(Spiraea Van Houtte)

**Special** ORDER NO. 5550 POSTPAID  
8 Plants, 9 to 12 inch.....\$1

**5511.** The long, gracefully arching branches are literally covered with white bloom in May. Looks like a snowbank when in full bloom. Makes an ideal hedge up to 5 or 6 feet. If you want lots of bloom clear to the tip of every branch, do not trim Van Houtte. For natural growth plant 2 feet apart. For trimmed hedge plant 1 foot apart.

#### 2-Year Size, WELL BRANCHED PLANTS

PREPAID	Per 12	Per 25	Per 50	Per 100
12 to 18 inch.....	\$1.98	\$3.50	\$6.50	\$12.50
18 to 24 inch.....	2.50	4.89	9.25	17.50

### TATARIAN HONEYSUCKLE

**5508.** Best of all for screening and background plantings. Leaves are rich green and in May there are lots of pink, red or white flowers followed by clusters of brilliant red berries. Will grow 10 to 12 feet high but can be trimmed to 4 or 5 feet. Extremely hardy. For natural growth plant 3 feet apart. For trimmed hedge, plant 1 to 2 feet apart.

#### 2-Year Size, WELL BRANCHED PLANTS

PREPAID	Per 12	Per 25	Per 50	Per 100
12 to 18 inch.....	\$1.98	\$3.50	\$6.50	\$12.50
18 to 24 inch.....	2.50	4.89	9.25	17.50



BRIDAL WREATH



TATARIAN HONEYSUCKLE



CHINESE ELM

### CHINESE ELM

**5512. The fastest growing hedge in America.** You can trim it as a hedge. It will grow dense from the top to the ground. The more you trim it, the more compact it grows. Grows so rapidly that it will make a dandy hedge in just a very few months. The plants we offer you are selected for hedging purposes. Plant 1 foot apart.

#### 2-Year Size, WELL BRANCHED PLANTS

PREPAID	Per 12	Per 25	Per 50	Per 100
12 to 18 inch.....	\$ .55	\$ .85	\$1.50	\$2.50
18 to 24 inch.....	.70	1.19	2.10	3.50



### HOPA FLOWERING CRAB

**5701.** When in full bloom at apple blossom time, Hopa is a solid mass of bright pink flowers, a great lovely ball of pink bloom. Clusters of small bright red fruit in Autumn. Very hardy. Grows to 20 feet unless pruned. **Well branched 3 to 4 ft. Trees: Each \$1.10; 2 for \$1.85. Heavy 4 to 5 ft. Trees: Each \$1.25; 2 for \$2.19, Postpaid.**

**5700. DOUBLE FLOWERING BECHTEL CRAB.** The soft pink double flowers of this flowering tree are exactly like little roses. The blooms delicately scented are about 2 inches across and literally cover the shapely Bechtel growth. **2 to 3 foot trees: Each \$1.20; 2 for \$2.19, Postpaid.**



### PURPLE WISTERIA

**5542.** America's favorite vine. The blue-purple flowers come on abundantly in giant clusters a foot or more in length. They are delightfully fragrant, too. Blooms in June and July and is a strong vigorous grower. **Sturdy grafted (not seedling) plants: Each 55c; 2 for \$1.00, Postpaid.**

### FLOWERING TREE SPECIAL

Order No. 5703. 1 HOPA FLOWERING CRAB (3 to 4 ft.), 1 RED BUD (2 to 3 ft.), and 1 MAY DAY TREE (4 to 5 ft.). A \$3.30 Value.

**ALL 3 ONLY \$2.75, POSTPAID**



### CRIMSON STAR

### CLEMATIS JACKMANI

**2610. JACKMANI.** Royal purple flowers from 4 to 6 inches across simply cover the vine. Hundreds and hundreds of blooms, often hiding the foliage from view. Blooms in June and July, and sometimes through the Summer. **Potted Plants: Each 75c; 2 for \$1.35, Postpaid.**

### CRIMSON STAR

**2613. (Inset Above)** Very like Jackmani, except flowers are strikingly beautiful red in color. **Potted Plants: Each \$1.10; 2 for \$2.00, Postpaid**



### RED BUD TREE

**5716.** Every branch and each twig is covered with purplish red bloom in very early Spring, even before the leaves appear. Grows to 15 feet and is very hardy. **Sturdy Well Rooted Trees. 2 to 3 ft. size. Each \$1.10; 2 for \$2.00, Postpaid. 3 to 4 ft. trees: Each \$1.35; 2 for \$2.50, Postpaid.**

### MAY DAY TREE

**5713.** Covered with white lilac-like bloom in early May. Grows to 15 ft. Very shapely. **Well branched 4 to 5 ft. Trees: Each \$1.10; 2 for \$1.85, Postpaid.**

### SMOKE TREE

**5402. (Purple Fringe.)** Becomes a solid mass of bloom in early Summer, followed by clusters of bright red fruit. Hardy deep into Minnesota. Grows to 12 feet but can be pruned. **Selected 18 to 24 inch Plants: Each \$1.50, Postpaid.**

# HARDY VINES

## CLEMATIS

### Abundant Beautiful Bloom

Most colorful, most prolific blooming vine. Once established the Clematis blooms so profusely that great masses of beautiful flowers actually hide the foliage. Clematis is the perfect vine for porch or trellis or fence. Thrifty potted plants.

**JACKMANI and CRIMSON STAR CLEMATIS** are on the opposite page.

**2612. MME. ED. ANDRE**, strikingly beautiful velvety red flowers. **Each 75c; 2 for \$1.35, Postpaid.**

**2611. RAMONA**, delicate pale blue flowers as large as those of Jackman. **Each 75c; 2 for \$1.35, Postpaid.**

**CLEMATIS SPECIAL Order No. 2615. One each of Clematis Jackman, Mme. Ed Andre, and Ramona. ALL 3 ONLY \$1.85, POSTPAID.**

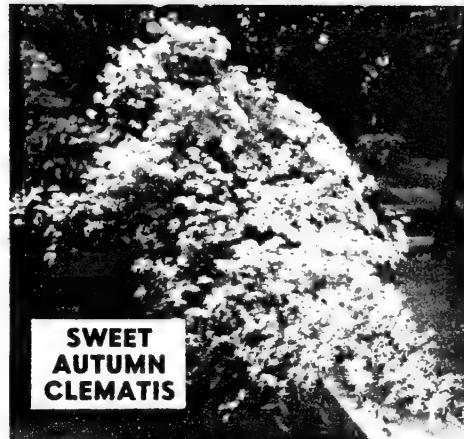


## for Beautiful WINTER BOUQUETS



### Bittersweet

**5537.** The brilliant red and orange berries of Bittersweet are unequalled for attractive winter bouquets. They come in long clusters, ideal for countless bouquet arrangements. The vine thrives in either sun or shade, will grow to a height of 25 to 40 feet. Plant 2 for cross fertilization. **Each 49c; 2 for 89c, Postpaid.**



SWEET  
AUTUMN  
CLEMATIS

**2618. (Paniculata.)** Pictured above. Small starry pure white flowers cover the vine starting in August. Very fragrant. Grows as much as 30 feet in one season. **Each 65c; 2 for \$1.15, Postpaid.**

## SILVER LACE VINE

### Pictured at the left

**5532.** Small lacy white flowers completely cover the vine from late Summer through Fall. Easy to grow and very rapid in growth, 10 ft. or more the first year. Heavy 2-Year Plants: **Each 75c; 2 for \$1.35, Postpaid.**

## GOLD FLAME HONEYSUCKLE

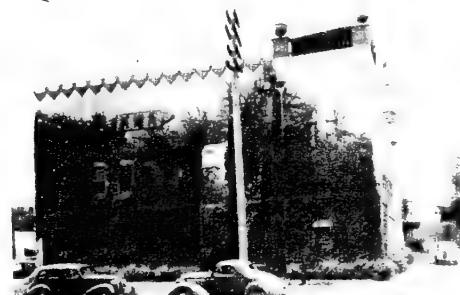
**5525.** From June 'til frost this vine is covered with showy clusters of large, fragrant flowers flaming scarlet outside, gold inside. Very hardy. Ideal for ground cover and can be pruned to shrub form. Heavy 2-Year Plants: **Each \$1.00; 2 for \$1.79, Postpaid.**

## VINE SPECIAL

### Order No. 5535

- 1 Purple Wisteria
- 1 Gold Flame Honeysuckle
- 1 Silver Lace Vine
- (A \$2.30 Value.)

**ALL 3 ONLY \$2.00, POSTPAID**



## BOSTON IVY

**5538.** Clings closely to buildings of all kinds completely covering the walls. Beautiful red coloration in the Fall. Best on North or East side. Sturdy Plants: **Each 50c; 2 for 90c; 4 for \$1.65, Postpaid.**

## DUTCHMAN'S PIPE

**5545.** A rapid growing and robust vine. The leaves are very large and overlap with such density that they make a perfect screen. Greenish flowers resemble little Dutchman's Pipes. **Each \$1.15; 2 for \$2.15, Postpaid.**

# BABY EVERGREENS

## and SEEDLING TREES

### For Windbreaks and Grove Plantings

Break the cold of those freezing Winter winds. Plant a windbreak. Your home will be easier to heat, more comfortable. Your livestock will Winter better, put on cheaper gains for you, when in the protection of a good windbreak. Every farm home should have the protection and beautification provided by a windbreak. Plant yours this spring.



## BABY EVERGREENS

Most beautiful of all is an Evergreen Windbreak and you can grow evergreens successfully from transplants. We list only the (T) transplants because they're heavier and have been root pruned, which means they will throw out more side roots and grow faster. A special planting leaflet will be sent to you with each order.

### Postpaid Prices

	Per 10	Per 25	Per 50
7105. Red Cedar, 10-12 inch, 3 Yr. T.....	\$1.90	\$4.25	\$8.15
7110. Jack Pine, 18-24 in. 4 Yr. T.....	1.75	3.65	6.80
7108. Ponderosa Pine, 12-18 in. 3 Yr. T....	3.35	7.75	15.00
7101. Scotch Pine, 12-18 in. 4 Yr. T.....	3.35	7.75	15.00
7100. Black Hills Spruce, 6-10 in. 4 Yr. T..	1.90	4.25	8.15
7104. Norway Spruce, 6-10 in. 4 Yr. T....	1.55	3.35	6.40
7103. Colorado Blue Spruce, 6-10 in. 4 Yr. T.	2.45	5.45	10.40
7109. American Arbor Vitae, 10-12 in. 3 Yr. T.	1.90	4.25	8.15
7107. Douglas Fir, 6-10 in. 3 yr. T.....	1.75	3.80	7.25

## SEEDLING TREES

### (For Chinese Elm Seedlings, see Page 48.)

You'll have wood for the fire—shade for the livestock and poultry—protection for the entire home. Our seedlings are blocky, well-rooted fellows. Order today. Let's reforest this country by starting with seedlings. Our "How to Plant" book, sent along with each order, will give you complete planting instructions. All Postpaid.

### All Prepaid

	Per 25	Per 50	Per 100	Per 200
5607. Ash, Green, 18 to 24 in.....	\$1.80	\$3.40	\$6.30	\$12.00
5602. Catalpa, 18-24 in.....	1.25	2.25	4.00	7.50
5603. Elm, Am. White, 12 to 18 in....	1.00	1.85	3.20	5.90
5603. Elm, Am. White, 2 to 3 ft....	1.35	2.40	4.40	7.75
5621. Hackberry, 2 to 3 ft.....	2.10	3.95	7.40	13.75
5619. Pin Oak, 12 to 18 in.....	3.10	5.95	11.40	
5610. Walnut Black, 18 to 24 in....	2.50	4.50	8.50	
5609. Osage Orange, 12-18 in.....	.70	1.15	2.19	3.89
5606. Soft Maple, 18-24 in.....	1.59	2.89	5.50	10.25

## PIN OAK SEEDLING SPECIAL

**5620.** Most rapid growing of the hardwood trees and considered by many to be America's most beautiful tree. Here is your opportunity to plant Pin Oak at a very low price. Sturdy 18 to 24 in. seedling trees.

**Each 30c; 2 for 50c; 4 for 85c, Postpaid**

## SOFT MAPLE SEEDLING SPECIAL

**5634.** Fast growing, popular for lawns and windbreaks. Undersides of the leaves are silver for beautiful contrast.

**3 to 4 ft. Seedlings: 2 for 35c; 4 for 65c; 12 for \$1.75 Postpaid**  
**4 to 5 ft. Seedlings: 2 for 65c; 4 for \$1.00; 12 for \$2.50, Postpaid**

# ***Beautiful . . the Year Around***

**Evergreens will add more beauty and permanent increase in the value of your property than any other planting you can make.** This is especially true when you get shapely, compact Evergreens like the ones we have for you. **Our evergreens have been repeatedly trimmed to make them fill out to perfection in form.** They also have the benefits derived from repeated transplanting which makes a fibrous, vigorous root system. ("XXX" means they have been transplanted 3 times). They are symmetrical trees and will bring you the utmost in pride and satisfaction.



## **LANDSCAPE EVERGREENS—For Foundation Plantings**



**Evergreens—for BEAUTY**



**Evergreens—for DISTINCTION**



**Evergreens—for PERMANENCE**

### **Every Tree A SPECIMEN**

#### **Every Tree BALLED AND BURLAPPED**

We are proud of the excellence of these Specimen Evergreens. They are the result of years of expert care by masters at the art of growing beautiful evergreens. Every one of these Specimen Evergreens is Balled and Burlapped. A solid ball of rich dirt in which the tree grew is cut right out of the ground with the tree. Then, a heavy burlap covering is tightly wrapped and tied around the ball, holding it firmly in place. Prices are F.O.B. Shenandoah, by low 3rd or 4th class freight, unless you want them to come Express Collect.

#### **1. TRUE BLUE JUNIPER**

**7312.** A grafted evergreen of superb beauty. This PATH-FINDER presents a truly sensational appearance. The foliage is shining silver blue, that distinct rich silver-blue you have always admired. The tree makes a most compact and shapely pyramidal growth. We consider it the finest of the pyramidal evergreens and recommend it to you without reservation.

**2 to 3 Foot Specimen Trees, XXX**  
Balled and Burlapped  
Each \$4.50; 2 for \$8.25

#### **2. PYRAMIDAL CEDAR**

**7314.** The deep green color of this cedar is a thing of continuous beauty in your planting. It grows compactly, too, into a most shapely pyramid.

**3 to 4 Foot Specimen Trees, XXX**  
Balled and Burlapped  
Each \$5.25; 2 for \$10.00

Balled and Burlapped Evergreens are not shipped prepaid, and if shipped long distances the balls of earth may dry out. For these reasons we do not recommend that you order Balled and Burlapped Evergreens if you do not live in the states of Iowa, Nebraska, Missouri, Kansas, Illinois southeastern South Dakota, Southern Minnesota, or southern Wisconsin. (We cannot guarantee that trees would arrive in good condition if shipped outside this area.)

A planting of Ornamental Evergreens will bring new beauty and new distinction to your home. Evergreens are beautiful not just for a few weeks or a few months but for week-after-week the whole year through. And year-after year, too. Give your planting an early start for quicker growth. Order early so you can plant them early. Complete Planting Instructions sent with each Order.

#### **3. PFITZER JUNIPER**

**7308.** Easily the most widely planted of the dwarf evergreens, and deservedly so. The foliage is a lovely gray-green. The gracefully informal spreading growth develops a striking picturesque form. It is hardy everywhere, thrives in shade or sun. (Size measured across the tree.)

**15 to 18 Inch Specimen Trees, XXX**  
Balled and Burlapped  
Each \$4.00; 2 for \$7.50

**18 to 24 Inch Specimen Trees, XXX**  
Balled and Burlapped  
Each \$4.60; 2 for \$8.45

**2 to 2½ Foot Specimen Trees, XXX**  
Balled and Burlapped  
Each \$5.50; 2 for \$10.25

#### **4. SAVIN JUNIPER**

**7307.** Most popular of the low growing trailing evergreens. The tufted foliage is rich dark green. The branches grow in a spreading upward sweep to make a gracefully vase-like form. (Size measured across the tree.)

**15 to 18 Inch Specimen Trees, XXX**  
Balled and Burlapped  
Each \$3.95; 2 for \$7.40

**18 to 24 Inch Specimen Trees, XXX**  
Balled and Burlapped  
Each \$4.30; 2 for \$8.55

(*Andorra Juniper (5) is not available this Spring.*)

#### **6. MUGHO PINE**

**7301.** This dwarf pine forms a bushy, compact ball fully as wide as it is tall. The thick needles are rich dark green throughout the year. And, in the Spring, the new growth looks like a multitude of candles had been placed on the tree. The Mugho will add neat distinction to your evergreen planting.

**15 to 18 Inch Specimen Trees, XXX**  
Balled and Burlapped  
Each \$3.90; 2 for \$7.25

**18 to 24 Inch Specimen Trees, XXX**  
Balled and Burlapped  
Each \$5.00; 2 for \$9.25

# Earl May NEW CROP LAWN SEED



## EVERGREENS for LAWN PLANTINGS

In the picture above you see lawn Evergreens in the gardens west of our seedhouse here in Shenandoah. It is a spot admired by thousands of our visitors and the Evergreens contribute greatly to its beauty.

### BLACK HILLS SPRUCE

**7304.** Extremely rugged and hardy, the Black Hills Spruce is a rich green color and very certain to make a shapely growth.

- 18 to 24 Inch Specimen Trees, XXX  
Balled and Burlapped  
Each \$2.95; 2 for \$5.25, Not Prepaid
- 2 to 3 Foot Specimen Trees, XXX  
Balled and Burlapped  
Each \$3.75; 2 for \$6.75, Not Prepaid
- 3 to 4 Foot Specimen Trees, XXX  
Balled and Burlapped  
Each \$4.75; 2 for \$8.75, Not Prepaid

### COLORADO BLUE SPRUCE

**7324.** Most widely admired for its wonderful silvery blue color and superb form. The Colorado Blue is one of the finest of all Evergreens.

- 18 to 24 Inch Specimen Trees, XXX  
Balled and Burlapped  
Each \$6.25; 2 for \$11.25, Not Prepaid
- 2 to 3 Foot Specimen Trees, XXX  
Balled and Burlapped  
Each \$7.50; 2 for \$13.95, Not Prepaid

### NORWAY SPRUCE

**7302.** A rapid growing, thrifty Evergreen with wide adaptability as to soils and locations. This is the "Christmas tree" spruce but lives to very old age and reaches great height under favorable conditions.

- 18 to 24 Inch Specimen Trees, XXX  
Balled and Burlapped  
Each \$2.75; 2 for \$4.95, Not Prepaid
- 2 to 3 Foot Specimen Trees, XXX  
Balled and Burlapped  
Each \$3.50; 2 for \$6.25, Not Prepaid

### YEWs . . . for Shady Places

Yew Evergreens will thrive and maintain their waxy, deep dark green color on the north side of your home or even under the most dense shade of other trees. Very thrifty in a wide variety of soils. Easy to train and prune. Completely hardy.

**7310. SPREADING JAPANESE YEW.** (Taxus cuspidata). Graceful spreading growth to 5 or 6 ft. Very beautiful dark green color. 15 to 18 inch Size, Balled and Burlapped: Each \$5.75; 2 for \$10.75, Not Prepaid.

**7322. UPRIGHT JAPANESE YEW.** (Taxus media hicksii). Narrow columnar growth is very decorative and the color is rich, dark glossy green. 18 to 24 inch Size, Balled and Burlapped: Each \$7.50; 2 for \$14.25, Not Prepaid.

Home Beautification starts right out in the lawn. It's the first thing seen by everyone going by your home. A barren or scraggly lawn spoils the appearance of many beautifully designed and otherwise attractive properties. You CAN have a good lawn. Good seed and common sense care will make you a lush, velvety, carpet-like lawn. Our seed is all new crop, pure, clean seed . . . tested for strong healthy germination. Order it right now. For best results plant it extra early. Send in your order today.

### HOW MUCH YOU NEED

Figure one pound of seed for every 200 square feet for a new lawn. To thicken up your present lawn, plant one pound to every 400 square feet. But plant it early so that growth is well along before hot weather. Complete detailed instructions on the Planting and Care of Your Lawn will be sent along FREE with each order for lawn grass seed.

### KENTUCKY BLUE GRASS

The deep rooted lawn grass that makes the best permanent lawns. A dark green velvety carpet of grass, the favorite everywhere. The seed we offer you is selected from the best heavy sodded Kentucky Blue Grass meadows. Our seed is 7 to 9 pounds heavier than the 14 pound per bushel standard. Extra heavy, strong germinating seed that grows quick.

**2011. HEAVY WEIGHT FANCY.** Lb. 69c; 3 lbs. \$1.95; 5 lbs. \$2.98; 10 lbs. \$5.95, POSTPAID.

**2030. MAYWORTH EXTRA FANCY.** Plant this grade for the best success. Lb. 75c; 3 lbs. \$2.15; 5 lbs. \$3.40; 10 lbs. \$6.45, POSTPAID.

### SHADY LAWN GRASS MIXTURE

**2012.** Grass for the shady spots. Thrives in the shade where other grasses fail. This mixture is a blend of the best fine bladed grasses which we know from experience will thrive in the shade. We have tested it time and again and we are confident it will do the same for you. Lb. 75c; 3 lbs. \$2.10; 5 lbs. \$3.25; 10 lbs. \$6.25, ALL POSTPAID.

### WHITE DUTCH CLOVER

**2014.** This white blossom lawn clover is a great help in getting grasses established. It grows quickly to hold the soil and protect the young grass. It produces nitrogen in the soil which makes excellent food for the grasses. And, it makes a beautiful lawn in combination with Blue Grass. One pound will be enough for the average city lot.

1/2 lb. 60c; 1 lb. \$1.00; 3 lbs. \$2.85, Postpaid

### CREEPING BENT GRASS

**2015. (ASTORIA).** Makes a soft, permanent green carpet. Extremely hardy and multiplies both from creeping roots and branching tops. Makes a beautiful permanent lawn, growing richer and more luxuriant each season. 1/2 lb. 65c; 1 lb. \$1.25; 3 lbs. \$3.45; 5 lbs. \$5.45, POSTPAID.

**2013. CREEPING BENT GRASS MIXTURE.** Contains a large amount of the best hardy Bent Grass and in addition, a plentiful supply of extra clean, pure Kentucky Blue Grass with other good lawn grasses. Lb. 95c; 3 lbs. \$2.75; 5 lbs. \$4.50; 10 lbs. \$8.85, ALL POSTPAID.

## MAYPARK



### MAYPARK LAWN GRASS MIXTURE

#### A Fine Lawn in 20 to 30 Days

**2010.** This special blend is "tailor made" from the finest adapted grasses to make a grand lawn under a wide variety of conditions. Fine heavy-weight Kentucky Blue Grass is the base of this blend. There's a generous quantity of White Dutch Clover. It also contains just the right amount of fine, quick growing grasses. It is all new crop seed, clean, pure, high in germination. Count on it to make you a thick heavy, permanent lawn. Order extra early. Then, plant extra early. It pays.

Lb. 65c; 3 lbs. \$1.80  
5 lbs. \$2.85; 10 lbs. \$5.45  
Postpaid

### ROOTONE TREATED

**2016.** For a faster start and quicker, more vigorous growth, plant this Maypark Lawn Grass Mixture which has been ROOTONE TREATED. Makes a heavier rooted, thicker sodded lawn. Already treated, ready to sow right from the bag. Lb. 69c; 3 lbs. \$1.95; 5 lbs. \$2.98; 10 lbs. \$5.95, Postpaid.

### BUFFALO LAWN GRASS SOD

**2044.** This hardy western grass covers the ground completely the first year. You never saw grass grow and spread like it does. Thrives in thin, light sandy soil where other grasses fail. Does fine on steep terraces. Goes right ahead in spite of hot, dry weather. Can be clipped, but never gets tall enough to really need mowing. Freshly dug sod from our own heavy sodded beds. (Complete Planting Instructions sent along with each order.) All Postpaid.

1 sq. ft. of sod.....\$ .90  
(275 plants...enough for 200 sq. ft.)  
2 sq. ft. of sod.....\$1.65  
(550 plants...enough for 400 sq. ft.)  
4 sq. ft. of sod.....\$2.95  
(1,100 plants...enough for 800 sq. ft.)

## FLORIBUNDA ROSES

The Floribundas are most prolific with bloom. From June until frost the magnificent clusters of large flowers come in continuous procession. They are easy to grow, too, and very hardy. In a border, or bed they create a superb color display. Plant 14 to 18 inches apart.

**5047. ELSE POULSEN.** Bright rose pink, semi-double.

**5052. FLORADORA.** Cinnabar Orange.

**5053. IMPROVED LAFAYETTE.** Bright cherry-crimson.

Your Choice, Alike or Assorted

Standard 2-Year Bushes

Each 85c; 6 for \$4.65; 12 for \$9.00

Selected 2-Year No. 1 Bushes

Each \$1.00; 6 for \$5.25; 12 for \$9.80

ALL POSTPAID

### FLORIBUNDA SPECIAL

**ORDER NO. 5265.** One each of Floribundas above. Standard 2-Year Bushes.

**ALL 3 ONLY \$2.25, POSTPAID**

### PATENTED FLORIBUNDAS

Pictured Below

**5055. PINOCCHIO.** (Pl. Pat. 484) Rich salmon, edged deep pink. Each \$1.25, Postpaid.

**5050. WORLD'S FAIR.** (Pl. Pat. 362.) Deepest scarlet. Each \$1.25, Postpaid.

**5059. GOLDILOCKS.** (Pl. Pat. 672) True golden yellow, very double. Each \$1.50, Postpaid.

ORDER ALL THREE

Order No. 5266. One each of the Patented Floribundas pictured below. **ALL 3 ONLY \$3.75, POSTPAID.**

5050



5059

5055



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## AMERICA'S FINEST HYBRID TEA

**Especially selected  
for their  
Vigorous Growth  
and  
Greater Hardiness  
and  
Beautiful Abundance  
of  
Exquisite Bloom**

On these two pages you see 12 of America's most beautiful, most dependable Hybrid Tea Roses. Each one merits a special place of honor in every rose garden. They are vigorous growing and hardy varieties, famous for both beauty and abundance of bloom. They will most surely thrill you. Order them now and be proud of the grandest rose garden you've ever had.

### TO ORDER BY VARIETY

1. GOLDEN DAWN (5040)
2. ETOILE DE HOLLANDE (5037)
3. McGREDY'S IVORY (5067)
4. TALISMAN (5005)
5. EDITOR McFARLAND (5026)
6. HINRICH GAEDE (5060)

Your Choice of The Above, Alike or Assorted, Postpaid

### SELECTED 2-YEAR NO. 1 BUSHES

Each \$1.00; 3 for \$2.80; 6 for \$5.25;

### SUPER GIANT 2-YEAR BUSHES

Each \$1.25; 3 for \$3.59; 6 for \$6.75

### TO ORDER ALL 6 OF THE ROSES PICTURED AT THE LEFT AND ABOVE

**Order No. 5251**

One each of Hybrid Tea Roses Numbers 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6.

SELECT SIZE  
2-YEAR NO. 1 BUSHES  
**ALL 6 ONLY  
\$5.00, POSTPAID**

**Order No. 5250**

One each of Hybrid Tea Roses Numbers 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6.

SUPER GIANT SIZE  
2-YEAR BUSHES  
**ALL 6 ONLY  
\$6.50, POSTPAID**

## GARDEN

**Order No. 5228.** One each of 12 Hybrid Tea Roses on these two pages.

Standard 2-Year Bushes.

**ALL 12 ONLY \$9.00, POSTPAID**

# EVERBLOOMING ROSES

Plant them early  
and  
they will start to  
bloom within  
8 weeks or so  
and  
continue until  
frost.

Yes, you will be enjoying your first bouquets within 8 weeks or so, if you plant these Hybrid Tea Roses early. And then, you'll have a continuous showing of lovely blooms until frost. Not just this year but years to come. Order early, so you can plant them early. Order now.

## TO ORDER BY VARIETY

7. Poinsettia (5043)
8. The Doctor (5041)
9. Golden Rapture (5061)
10. Snowbird (5044)
11. Christopher Stone (5063)
12. Mrs. Sam McGredy (5004)

Your Choice of The Above Alike or Assorted, Postpaid

**SELECTED 2-YEAR NO. 1 BUSHES**  
Each \$1.00; 3 for \$2.80; 6 for \$5.25

**SUPER GIANT 2-YEAR BUSHES**  
Each \$1.25; 3 for \$3.59; 6 for \$6.75

## TO ORDER ALL 6 OF THE ROSES PICTURED AT THE RIGHT AND ABOVE

### Order No. 5263.

One each of Hybrid Tea  
Roses Numbers 7, 8, 9,  
10, 11, 12.

**SELECT SIZE**  
**2-YEAR NO. 1 BUSHES**  
**ALL 6 ONLY**  
**\$5.00, POSTPAID**

### Order No. 5264.

One each of Hybrid Tea  
Roses Numbers 7, 8, 9,  
10, 11, 12.

**SUPER GIANT SIZE**  
**2-YEAR BUSHES**  
**ALL 6 ONLY**  
**\$6.50, POSTPAID**

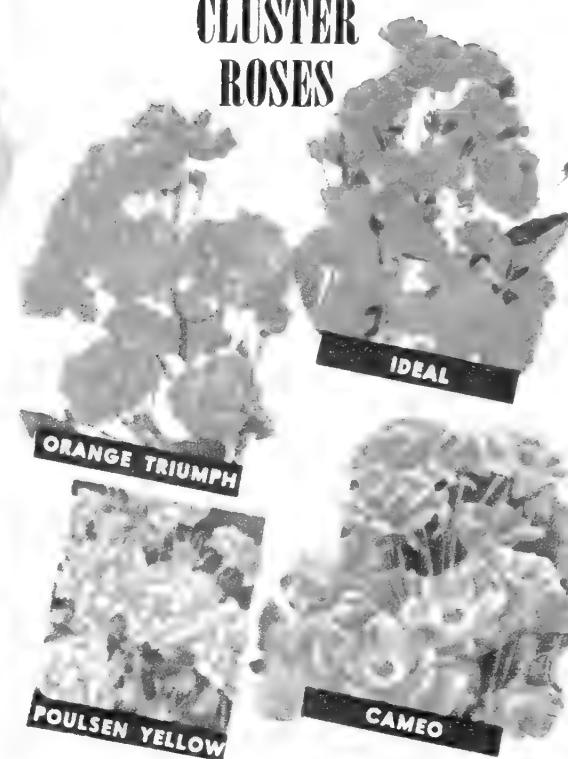
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**Order No. 5227.** One each of 12 Hy-  
brid Tea Roses on these two pages.

**Selected 2-Year No. 1 Bushes**  
**ALL 12 ONLY \$9.80, POSTPAID**



## BABY CLUSTER ROSES



**BABY CLUSTER ROSES**, the Polyanthas, are especially popular for bedding and edging. The plants develop into compact and shapely bushes 12 to 18 inches high. They are covered with great masses of flowers from early in the season until frost. A single truss may have as many as 15 to 20 individual blooms and several big trusses are often in full bloom at the same time.

### Standard 2-Year Plants

Each 85c; 3 for \$2.40; 6 for \$4.65;  
12 for \$9.00, Postpaid

### Selected 2-Year No. 1 Plants

Each \$1.00; 3 for \$2.80; 6 for \$5.25;  
12 for \$9.80, Postpaid

**5084. ORANGE TRIUMPH.** Brilliant orange-scarlet!  
Flowers very double.

**5083. IDEAL.** Richest deep red, double flowers.

**5048. POULSEN'S YELLOW.** Bright yellow flowers  
form into a truss of beauty.

**5081. CAMEO.** A most delightful coloration.  
Blooms are a lovely shell-pink, suffused salmon,  
and carry a golden glow.

### BABY ROSE GARDEN

**Order No. 5262.** One each of the Baby Cluster  
Roses pictured and described above. Selected 2-  
Year No. 1 Plants.

All 4 Only \$3.50, Postpaid

## ALL COLOR ROSE GARDEN

### Order No. 5201

One Hybrid Tea Rose each of the  
following colors:

RED  
TWO-TONE

YELLOW  
PINK

**Standard 2-Year Bushes**  
**ALL 4 ONLY \$2.98**  
**POSTPAID**

Earl May

# CLIMBING ROSES

The Climbing Roses will thrill you with a mass of lovely color. Once established, they are covered with great clusters of bloom. If you haven't a trellis plant them along the porch or a fence. Set them 3 to 4 feet apart.



## CLIMBING ROSE SPECIAL

Order No. 5217. One each of Paul's Scarlet, American Beauty, Dr. Van Fleet, and Primrose, described below. Standard 2-Year Bushes.

(A \$2.73 Value.)

**ALL 4 ONLY  
\$2.35, POSTPAID**

### PAUL'S SCARLET

5134. See opposite page.

### CLIMBING AMERICAN BEAUTY

5131. Favorite pink climber. Large buds open to loveliest rose-pink.

### DR. VAN FLEET

5132. Remarkably large cameo-pink blooms on long stems.

### PRIMROSE

5135. Very double blooms of beautiful canary yellow. Profuse bloomer.

### YOUR CHOICE OF THE ABOVE 2-YEAR BUSHES, POSTPAID

Each	3	6	
Standard 2-yr. No. 1 Plants.	\$0.75	\$2.05	\$3.69
Selected 2-yr. No. 1 Plants.	.90	2.50	4.75



CLIMBING AMERICAN BEAUTY



## Mother's ROSE GARDEN

Order No. 5220. Chosen to please Mother with abundant bloom in a perfect selection of colors. Standard 2-Year Plants.

RED RADIANCE

PINK RADIANCE

TALISMAN (two-tone)

FRAU K. DRUSCHKI (White)

ETOILE DE HOLLANDE (Red)

GOLDEN DAWN (Yellow)

**ALL 6 ONLY \$4.35, POSTPAID**



## The RADIANCE ROSES

The Radiance Roses have won the hearts of rose lovers because they are such prolific bloomers. You can depend upon them to bring you a wonderful abundance of lovely, fragrant bloom. They are vigorous, and hardy, too.

Your Choice, Alike or Assorted

Standard 2-Year Bushes, Each 85c, Postpaid

5002. RED RADIANCE, deep red.

5001. PINK RADIANCE, cameo pink.

5006. SALMON RADIANCE, salmon pink.

## RADIANCE ROSE GARDEN

Order No. 5268. One each of the 3 Radiance Roses above in Standard 2-Year Bushes.

**ALL 3 ONLY \$2.25, POSTPAID**

## DOROTHY PERKINS CLIMBERS

These fine old-fashioned hardy climbing roses still bring endless delight to all who have them. They are thrifty and vigorous and produce literally hundreds of blooms. The flowers are not so large but the great clusters are massive.

### STANDARD 2-YEAR PLANTS

Alike or Assorted

Each 65c, POSTPAID

5138. RED DOROTHY PERKINS

5139. PINK DOROTHY PERKINS

5140. WHITE DOROTHY PERKINS

Order No. 5275.

One Each of 3 Dorothy Perkins Climbing Roses

All 3 Only \$1.59, Postpaid



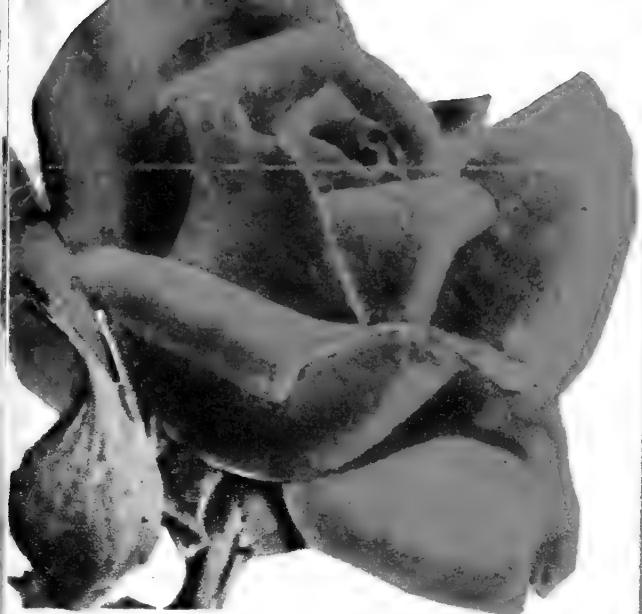
**Brilliant Red**

## BLAZE

Plant Patent No. 10

5107. Brilliant double red blooms of exciting beauty. *They come in clusters of vivid scarlet, masses of them in springtime and occasional blooms all season. And what blooms! They are cup-shaped, 2 to 3 inches across, and hold their blazing color well even in full sun. Judged by many to be America's finest climbing rose.*

**EACH \$1.50, POSTPAID**



### CRIMSON GLORY

**5020.** (Pl. Pat. 105) Intense vivid crimson with a lustrous, velvety sheen. The exquisite buds open to magnificent large flowers of fine fragrance. The plant is a very vigorous grower. It is hardy, healthy, and produces bloom from early-summer to frost. A most excellent cut flower. **Each \$1.50, Postpaid.**



### CLIMBING PAUL'S SCARLET

**5134.** The finest climbing rose. Dazzling scarlet blooms cover the entire bush with often as many as 500 to 1000 blooms on an individual plant. It's hardy, too. There are many of them in Shenandoah and each year they are admired by all of us. We know you'll be mighty proud to have Paul's Scarlet blooming gloriously in your yard. **ALL POSTPAID.**

Standard 2-Year Plants  
Each 75c; 3 for \$2.05;  
6 for \$3.65

Selected 2-Year No. 1 Plants  
Each 85c; 3 for \$2.40;  
6 for \$4.65



### Earl May ALL-AMERICA ROSE SELECTIONS

**5021**

Only the finest hybrid tea roses ever achieve All America acclaim. They are selected for perfection of bud and bloom, for vigorous growth and abundant bloom, for fragrance, and every worthwhile characteristic. These annual awards are now made following observation and reports from eighteen official test gardens around the country. The five presented here are sure to thrill you with exquisite beauty and fragrance.

**5013. DIAMOND JUBILEE.** (Pat. Applied For.) 1948 All America Winner. Very large, high-centered flowers are glowing buff-orange with the base of the petals brightened with orange-yellow tones. Buds open slowly, last exceptionally long with intensification rather than fading of the exquisite colorings. Sturdy upstanding growth produces long clean stems ideal for cutting. This prolific bloomer will bring new and thrilling beauty to every rose planting. **Each \$2.00, Postpaid.**

**5012. NOCTURNE.** (Pl. Pat. 713.) The brilliant glowing beauty of Nocturne will thrill every lover of roses. Long streamlined buds of red open to a very large rose of cardinal red with richly highlighted darker shadings of chrysanthemum-crimson. A strong grower, prolific with bloom, and possessed of luxuriant glossy foliage. **Each \$2.00, Postpaid.**

**5021. PEACE.** (Pl. Pat. 591) The soft blendings of light gold and cerise make description of this great rose very difficult. Long buds of white and gold are edged cerise. Blooms open to immense size, 5 inches across. The center of the flower glows softly golden, while the cerise edging suffuses and blends beautifully deeper into the petals. Very long lasting and very prolific. **Each \$2.00, Postpaid.**

**5007. TAFFETA.** (Pl. Pat. 716) The predominant color of this 1948 All-America Winner is rich rose carmine and there is a charming change to begonia-rose as the flower opens. The reverse of the petals is softly tinted old gold. Delightful fragrance and very long stems contribute still more excellence to this award winner. **Each \$2.00, Postpaid.**

**5022. RUBAIYAT.** (Pat. Applied For) The only All American winner for 1947 is this vivid rich-red rose. The buds are long and shapely, slowly opening to extra large blooms . . . of heady old rose fragrance. The stems are long and upright. The bush grows vigorously and very tall, producing an abundant profusion of bloom. **Each \$2.00, Postpaid.**

### ALL-AMERICA ROSE GARDEN

Order No. 5254. One each of the 5 All-America Roses Pictured here.

**ALL 5 ONLY \$9.50, POSTPAID**



**5022**

## RUGOSA SHRUB ROSES

The Rugosas are extra hardy and thrive under most adverse conditions of soil and climate. The growth is erect, to 4 or 5 feet, makes them valuable for hedges or shrub-type plantings. For hedges plant 2 feet apart. Shrub planting, 3 to 4 feet apart.

### Standard 2-Year Plants

Each 85c; 3 for \$2.40; 6 for \$4.65, Postpaid

5092. **AMELIA GRAVEREAUX.** Large flowers of deep pink shaded soft carmine.

5096. **GROOTENDORST.** Scarlet Red. Vigorous grower and profuse bloomers.

5093. **GOLDEN ROSE OF CHINA.** (Hugonis) Blooms in May in long garlands of bright yellow flowers. Very prolific.

5091. **SKYROCKET.** Everblooming. Produces enormous clusters of brilliant red bloom. Blooms from June to October. Very fragrant.

### RUGOSA GARDEN

Order No. 5261. One each Amelia Gravereaux, Grootendorst Scarlet Red, and Golden Rose of China. Standard 2-Year Bushes.

**ALL 3 ONLY \$2.19, POSTPAID**

**GROOTENDORST SCARLET RED**

## CLIMBING HYBRID TEA ROSES

The same lovely buds and the same beautiful big blooms you admire on your Hybrid Tea Rose bushes but the bushes have a taller, climbing habit of growth. Blooms come abundantly and are especially fine for cutting.

### SELECTED 2-YEAR NO. 1 BUSHES

Each \$1.00; 2 for \$1.89; 4 for \$3.59, Postpaid

5101. **CLIMBING PINK RADIANCE.** Beautiful cameo pink blooms. A vigorous grower and very profuse bloomer.

5102. **CLIMBING ETOILE DE HOLLANDE.** One of the finest of the deep dark velvety red roses. Blooms are very large, come on abundantly.

5106. **MRS. P. S. DUPONT.** Long pointed reddish-gold buds opening to deep golden yellow. A fragrant, profuse and continuous bloomer.

### CLIMBING TEA GARDEN

Order No. 5214. One each of the Climbing Hybrid Teas listed above. Selected 2-Year No. 1 Bushes.

**ALL 3 ONLY \$2.80, POSTPAID**



**CLIMBING PINK RADIANCE**



## HYBRID PERPETUAL ROSES

This family of roses is extremely hardy. Make very vigorous growth, produce large very double flowers. Hybrid Perpetuals bloom very abundantly in the Spring and often again in the late Fall. They are delightfully fragrant, too. Your choice of the 4 varieties listed below:

### STANDARD 2-YEAR PLANTS

Each 85c; 3 for \$2.40; 6 for \$4.65

### SELECTED 2-YEAR NO. 1 PLANTS

Each \$1.00; 3 for \$2.80; 6 for \$5.25

**ALL POSTPAID**

5056. **AMERICAN BEAUTY.** Very large flowers of deep pink shaded soft carmine.

5054. **BLACK PRINCE.** Big blooms of red, so richly dark they are almost black.

5062. **PAUL NEYRON.** Dark pink. Enormous size, perhaps the largest flowering of all Shrub Roses.

5051. **FRAU K. DRUSCHKI.** Best of the pure white hybrid perpetuals, for larger size of bloom and delightful fragrance.



## TREE ROSES

For giant size, for exquisite form and for sheer brilliance of color—tree roses present the pinnacle of performance in the rose world. At the top of the trunks, 3 to 3½ feet high, you will have a bushy abundantly blooming head as pictured above. They must be protected for severe winters but amply reward you for the special care. We have three varieties for you (pictured and described on Page 55).

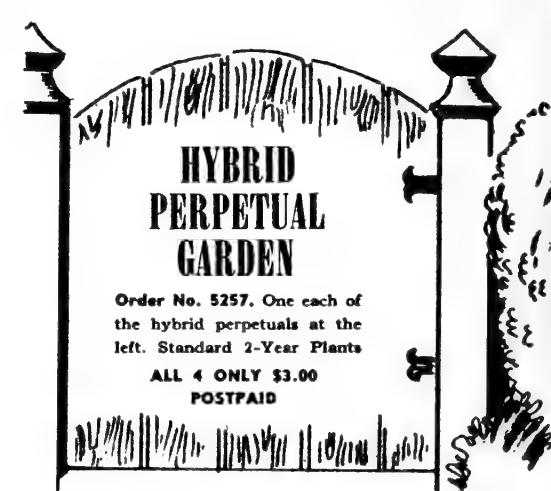
**Each \$5.50, Postpaid**

5116. **POINSETTIA,** brilliant red

5117. **GOLDEN RAPTURE,** rich yellow

5118. **THE DOCTOR,** deep pink

Order No. 5210. One each of the Tree Roses above. All 3 for \$15.75, Postpaid.



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*Earl May***PEONIES***A Lifetime Investment in Loveliness***BIG 3 TO 5-EYE ROOT DIVISIONS  
ALL POSTPAID****FESTIVA  
MAXIMA (White)**

**A New Race of Hardiness Previously Unknown in Hybrid Teas**

**BROWNELL****EVERBLOOMING SUB-ZERO****HYBRID TEA ROSES**

A new family of roses produced especially to live and thrive year after year in sub-zero climates. **Brownell Sub-Zero Roses come through winters of 15° below zero without any protection at all.** But, if protection of a good mulch is provided, the bushes will be larger in the spring and produce more and larger blooms. With such protection Brownell Sub-Zero Roses will winter in areas where temperatures of 15° to 40° below zero are expected.

For size, form and colors the Brownell Sub-Zero Roses compare with the best. The blooms are large and, due to extra thriftiness and hardiness, the bushes bloom more abundantly and more consistently throughout the season.

For dependable year-after-year beauty and loveliness and fragrance, plant Brownell Sub-Zero Roses this spring. Order early so you can plant them early.

**5125. ANNE VANDERBILT.** Exquisite coppery orange. A very brilliant and fragrant rose. Each \$1.75, Postpaid.

**5126. PINK PRINCESS.** Lovely red buds open to gorgeous deep pink flowers. Each \$1.75, Postpaid.

**5127. SHADES OF AUTUMN.** Brilliant bi-color rose of rich coral red and buttercup yellow. Each \$1.75, Postpaid.

**BROWNELL SUB-ZERO  
CLIMBING ROSE**

**5128. GOLDEN PYRAMID.** A most vigorous grower, produces an abundance of brilliant yellow bloom. Each \$1.75, Postpaid.

**BROWNELL ROSE SPECIAL**

Order No. 5270. One each of the Brownell SUB-ZERO Roses above.

All 4 Only \$6.50, Postpaid

**EDULIS SUPERBA  
(Pink)****MEMORIAL DAY FAVORITES**

Lawns and cemeteries throughout this part of the country give glorious testimony to the beauty and abundant blooming habit of the 3 Peonies pictured above. They bloom early, usually in plenty of time for Memorial Day. Big 3 to 5-eye Root Divisions: Each 75c, Postpaid.

**GROUP 1**

**3308. PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT.** (Mid-Season) Vivid crimson red, large and densely double. Each 80c.

**3322. REINE HORTENSE.** (Mid-Season) Large rose pink blooms attractively flecked red. Each 85c.

**3323. MME DE VERNEVILLE.** (Mid-Season) Large, very full type. Outside white suffused yellow, center rose-white flecked red. Each 90c.

Order No. 3361  
(A \$2.55 Value)

ONE EACH OF THE 3 ABOVE

Only \$2.15, Postpaid

**GROUP 3**

**3319. MONS JULES ELIE.** (Mid-Season) Immense flowers of glowing lilac pink to deeper rose, overlaid silver sheen. Each \$1.00.

**3320. MONS JULES DESSERT.** (Mid-Season) Great big flowers of creamy white with faint tints of pink and buff. Each \$1.25.

**3321. MONS MARTIN CAHUZAC.** (Early Mid-Season) Deep, dark, almost-black red. Semi rose-type bloom. Each \$1.50.

Order No. 3359  
(A \$3.75 Value)

ONE EACH OF THE 3 ABOVE

Only \$3.10, Postpaid

**FELIX CROUSSE  
(Red)**

Order No. 3313. One Each of  
3310. Felix Crousse  
3312. Festiva Maxima  
3311. Edulis Superba  
(A \$2.25 Value)  
**ALL 3 ONLY \$1.69  
POSTPAID**

**GROUP 2**

**3307. KARL ROSENFIELD.** (Mid Season) Brilliant velvety crimson blooms, prolific. Each 85c.

**3327. RICHARD CARVEL.** (Early) Glowing crimson of exceptional perfection of form. Each \$1.00.

**3328. SARAH BERNHARDT.** (Mid-Season) Apple blossom pink with silvery edges on the petals. Each \$1.00.

Order No. 3360  
(A \$2.85 Value)

ONE EACH OF THE 3 ABOVE

Only \$2.35, Postpaid

**Peony Show Garden**

Order No. 3358. For a thrilling and lovely garden of Peonies, order one each of all 9 varieties in Groups 1, 2 and 3. (A \$7.60 Value.)

**ALL 9 ONLY \$7.10, POSTPAID**

**Peonies By Color**

Choose any colors you prefer . . . Red (3364), Pink (3365), and White (3366), alike or assorted. They will come to you labeled as to color and guaranteed to please you. Regular Big 3 to 5-Eye Root Divisions.

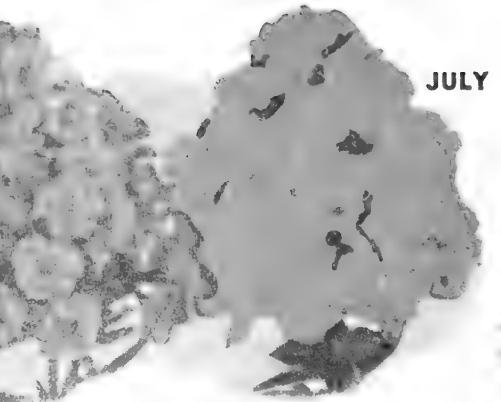
**YOUR CHOICE BY COLOR**

3 for \$1.49, Postpaid

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FAIRY KING



JULY LIGHTS



STARLIGHT



CAROLINE VANDENBURG

*Earl May*  
**DREAM PHLOX**

Your choice of 6 Phlox pictured above and left.

Each 35c; 3 for 95c, Postpaid

- 2011. Fairy King
- 2035. Caroline Vandenburg
- 2006. July Lights
- 2021. Starlight
- 2023. San Antonio
- 2037. Marie Antoinette



SAN ANTONIO

**DREAM PHLOX GARDEN**

ORDER NO. 2038

Six of the loveliest Phlox that grow, listed and pictured above. Leaders in their color classes, proven free blooming strains. You'll have those huge heads, compact with bloom and fragrant beyond description. They will bloom this Summer. They are all very hardy and will live a lifetime for you. We'll send you husky thrifty roots.



MARIE  
ANTOINETTE

**All 6 Only \$1.50 Postpaid**



BORDER GEM



APPLE BLOSSOM

**SILVER DOLLAR PHLOX**

Every one of these three fine varieties will produce florets as large as a silver dollar! Huge compact heads of bloom and really wondrous colors. They will bloom for you yet this year and develop into gorgeous clumps as the years go by. Plant our Silver Dollar Phlox for sensational beauty.

Your Choice, Alike or Assorted  
Each 40c; 3 for \$1.10, Postpaid

- 2012. Charles Curtis
- 2015. Border Gem
- 2034. Apple Blossom

Order No. 2045. One each of all 3 Silver Dollar Phlox . . . Only 89c, Postpaid.

CHARLES CURTIS



**TUBEROUS BEGONIAS**

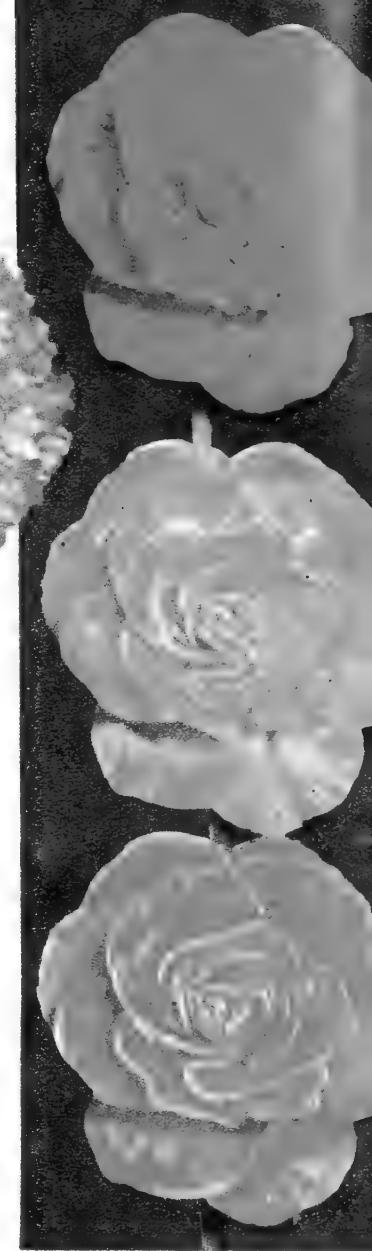
Most gorgeous, brilliant flowers, for both indoors and outdoors. Plant the tubers in the garden, preferably in the shade. Keep them well watered. After frost, take them up again and allow them to rest 6 to 8 weeks. Then, plant them in pots indoors and they will bloom during the Winter. Large blooming size bulbs, of a superior large-flowering strain.

Your choice of Camellia Flowered Begonias: 3610. Bright Red. 3616. Bronze. 3612. Yellow . . . or 3613. Pink Carnation Flowered.

Each 39c; 3 for \$1.10, Postpaid

Order No. 3617

One each of 4 Begonias pictured . . . All 4 Only \$1.25, Postpaid.



**Large Flowering CANNAS**

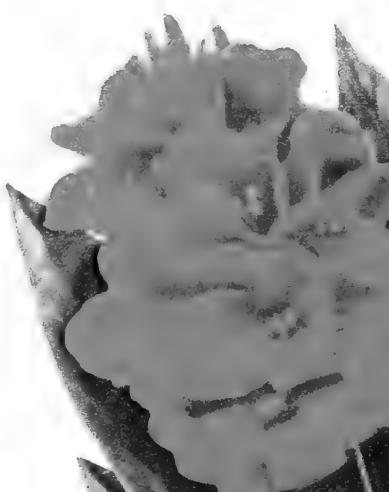
**Order No. 3516**  
(Pictured Below)

For dazzling color and giant, tropical-like flowers and foliage, order this Canna bed today. For the center, 1 Yellow King Humbert. For the inside circle, 5 President. For the outside circle, 8 Pink Hungaria. (See opposite page for variety descriptions and other Cannas.)

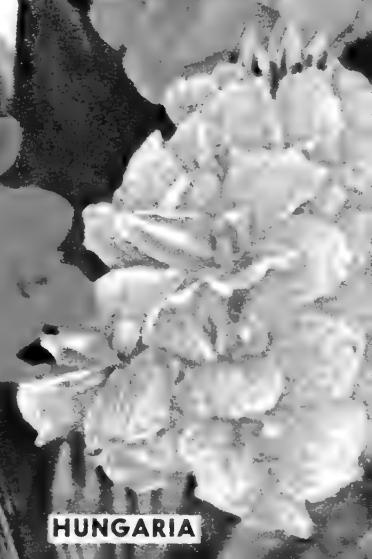
ALL 14 CANNAS  
ONLY \$1.80, POSTPAID



YELLOW  
KING HUMBERT



PRESIDENT



HUNGARIA



## LARGE FLOWERING CANNAS

Bloom First Year Sure! Will Stand a Lot of Heat! You can't beat Cannas for mass color and exotic beauty in your garden. Planted in borders, beds or for dividing hedge, Cannas are always satisfactory. They will stand worlds of heat. Be sure to plant lots of these gorgeous, showy flowers this year. Our low prices are for the finest, most vigorous roots. Select the colors and height you want, using taller ones for the center, lower growing ones for the outside. Make a Canna Bed to suit your own ideas.

### POSTPAID PRICES ON CANNAS LISTED BELOW, ALIKE OR ASSORTED

Each 20c; 6 for 95c; 12 for \$1.75; 25 for \$3.50

**3511. HUNGARIA.** (see picture on the opposite page.) Huge, peach-pink flowers. Green foliage. A profuse bloomer, grows 3½ feet high.

**3510. PRESIDENT.** (see picture on the opposite page.) Huge, glowing scarlet red flowers, green foliage. A very free blooming variety grows to 4 feet high. Most popular of all Cannas.

**3508. RED KING HUMBERT.** Brilliant and very large orange scarlet flowers. Bronze foliage. Grows 4 feet high. A thrifty,

vigorous grower.

**3513. RICHARD WALLACE.** A beautiful, clear canary yellow with green foliage. Flowers are very large. Grows 3½ feet high.

**3512. STATUE OF LIBERTY.** The tallest of all Cannas grow 6 feet high. Blazing flame red, with bronze foliage. Very striking.

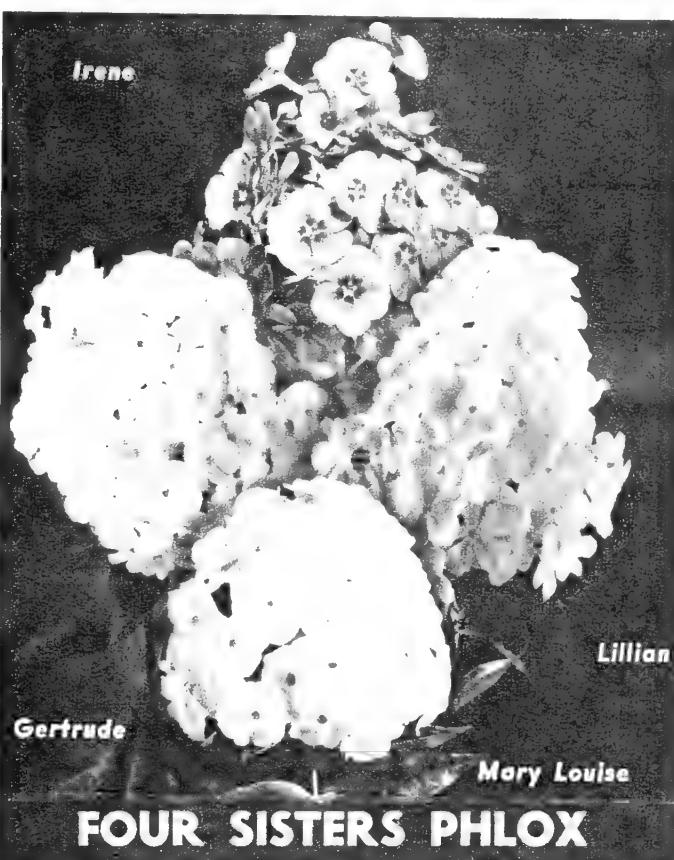
**3509. YELLOW KING HUMBERT** (see picture on the opposite page.) Beautiful rich yellow flowers spotted and flecked with red. Foliage is green. Grows 4 ft. high and blooms profusely.

**BEAUTY PAYS.** When you beautify your home with plantings you are actually increasing its value . . . and in addition think of the satisfaction and pride you get from living in a home made more beautiful with flowers and trees and shrubs.



## HANGING BEGONIA

Something new and very attractive for your shady porch boxes and hanging baskets. This distinct type of Begonia makes a hanging growth which produces lovely flowers. The "weeping" growth and pretty blooms are also very charming in a rock garden. Your choice: 3625. Red. 3615. Pink. Each 39c; 3 for \$1.10, Postpaid.



## FOUR SISTERS PHLOX

These "Four Sisters" have been a sensation with our customers. They are famed for vibrant beauty of color, for massive compact heads of bloom. Plant them for a thrilling show of gorgeous bloom.

EACH 40c, POSTPAID.

- 2055. GERTRUDE, azure blue.
- 2051. IRENE, brilliant carmine.
- 2056. LILLIAN, soft rose pink.
- 2009. MARY LOUISE, snow white.

ORDER NO. 2047

One each of the Four Sisters Phlox.

ALL 4 ONLY \$1.15, POSTPAID

## OLD FRIENDS PHLOX

ORDER NO. 2030. A special selection to bring you a colorful Phlox planting at a very attractive price. You will receive one each of the following: Red, Pink, White, and Purple.

ALL 4 ONLY \$1.00, POSTPAID

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## FIERY RED CANNA BED

ORDER NO. 3526

Think of having a bed of fiery red Cannas—all blooming in one mass at the same time. That's what the Fiery Red Tropical Canna Bed will do for you. They'll all be of the same height—4 ft. stems with blue-green foliage. The Fiery Red President is one of the very best Cannas and the most popular. Blooms in a big way and will give you a brilliant display of beautiful flowers all summer and fall.

BIG ROOTS

12 for \$1.55  
Postpaid

## ALL-COLOR CANNA COLLECTION

ORDER NO. 3528

Lots and lots of people every year order cannas to have a big canna bed with mixed colors. So, we are guaranteeing you a mixture of many different varieties of cannas. Bronze-leaved, and green-leaved, medium growing and tall growing, and pink, orange, red, scarlet, and yellow flowers — all in one grand mixture. A real bargain.

6 for 89c; 12 for \$1.65;  
25 for \$3.29, Postpaid

DOUBLE  
TIGER

# ALL SUMMER LILY GARDEN

A special collection of our finest lilies to bring you a parade of bloom lasting from May through August . . . at a special price, too.

**RED CORAL** . . . blooms MAY, JUNE. Dainty brilliant red lilies.  
**REGAL** . . . queen of them all blooms in late JUNE, JULY.  
**HENRYI** . . . this spectacular big lily blooms JULY, AUGUST.  
**DOUBLE TIGER** . . . huge showy flowers through JULY.  
**RUBRUM** . . . strikingly beautiful bloom through AUGUST.

**All Five**      Order No. 3732      A \$2.20 Value      Only \$1.85  
Postpaid

See opposite page for prices on individual varieties.

RUBRUM

3413

3417

3410

3440

## Sensationally Large and Beautiful JUBILEE DAHLIAS

**JUBILEE  
DAHLIA GARDEN**  
Order No. 3465  
One each of 5 Dahlias pictured and 1 Polar Bear, pure white Dahlia.  
A \$3.00 Value  
ALL 6 ONLY  
\$2.40, POSTPAID

Immense big flowers, often 8 to 10 inches across and here you see pictured 5 of the most magnificent varieties. Huge, brilliant, showy. The plants grow 5 to 6 feet tall and produce lots of grand blooms for you in late Summer and Fall. Enjoy them all at a special price, at the left. Or, order by variety below:

3410 Avalon  
3414 Jane Cowl  
3413 Pink Jersey Beauty  
3417 Mrs. I. De Ver Warner  
3431 Polar Bear (White)

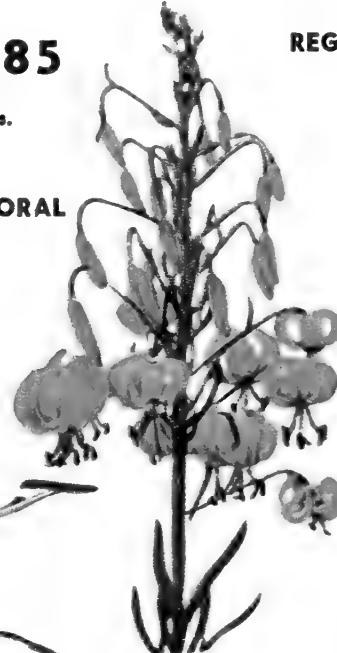
Your choice of the above: Each 45c,  
Postpaid

REGAL



RED CORAL

HENRYI



### REGAL LILY SPECIAL

Order No. 3733

Blooming Size  
Bulbs

6 for

Only \$1.00

Postpaid

(See opposite page for prices on 5 to 8 inch bulbs.)



### Earl May MASTERPIECE

3440. One of the loveliest, most brilliant Dahlias you have ever seen. Blooms often 10 inches across. Long stems for perfect cutting. Truly a sensational beauty. Included in our Jubilee Dahlia Garden listed at the left. Each 75c, Postpaid.

## HARDY LILIES

The stately grace of the Lily brings special attraction to your flower garden. All of these Lilies are very beautiful and long lasting for bouquets. Plant them in groups of 3 or more and you will soon have gorgeous clumps covered with bloom. Our blooming size bulbs will bloom this year if you plant them early. Order early so you can begin enjoying your lilies the first year. SEE ILLUSTRATIONS ON THE OPPOSITE PAGE.

**3704. RED CORAL.** Grows 18 inches high. Blooms profusely. Each 30c; 3 for 75c; 6 for \$1.35, Postpaid.

**3706. REGAL.** America's favorite lily. Delightfully fragrant and very prolific bloomer. Stems 3 to 4 feet high often carry 18 to 25 blooms. All Postpaid.

Large 5 to 6 inch Bulbs  
Each 30c; 3 for 75c; 6 for \$1.35

Jumbo 6 to 8 inch Bulbs  
Each 35c; 3 for 90c; 6 for \$1.50

**3703. HENRYI.** Grows 5 to 6 feet high, with as many as 20 gorgeous flowers on a single stem. Each 55c; 3 for \$1.50; 6 for \$2.75, Postpaid.

**3723. RUBRUM.** Grows 4 to 5 feet high, most abundant with bloom. Each 75c; 3 for \$2.00; 6 for \$3.75, Postpaid.

**3702. DOUBLE TIGER.** A favorite, grows 4 to 5 feet high. Each 30c; 3 for 75c; 6 for \$1.35, Postpaid.

## HARDY EASTER LILY

**3710. HARDY EASTER LILY.** (Estate.) A wonder lily, just like the expensive greenhouse Easter Lily but it is fully hardy. Blooms are large, fragrant, and pure white. Plant them this spring for blooms this summer, and a continually increasing number of blooms for years to come. Grows 2 to 2½ feet tall, bloom just after the Regal lilies. Order early. Supply limited. Each 65c; 3 for \$1.80, Postpaid.

## DAHLIAS

If you do not have these new giant flowering Dahlias, you are missing some of the most amazingly beautiful flowers in the world. Often the massive blooms are 10 to 12 inches across. The colors are simply gorgeous. They are very fine for cutting, too, and come into full glory in the early Fall. We'll send you strong, outdoor grown tubers guaranteed to give you a fine showing of bloom the very first season.

### PRIZE DAHLIAS

Here are 5 of the very finest of Dahlias. Immense blooms, 8 to 10 inches across, in vivid and striking colors. Truly each one is a Prize Dahlia.

**3440. EARL MAY MASTERPIECE.** (See opposite page for description.) Each 75c, Postpaid.

**3403. CLARA CARDER.** Lovely rose pink blooms of immense size. Each 55c, Postpaid.

**3432. COMMANDO.** The finest, clearest, brightest lavender we have ever seen. Immense 10-inch flowers, long and stiff stems. Prolific bloomer. Each \$1.00, Postpaid.

**3434. GOVERNOR.** Bright yellow formal dahlia with full center. Many blooms reach 12-inches across. Long stems. A prolific and early bloomer. Each \$1.00, Postpaid.

**3405. MRS. WM. S. KNUDSEN.** A pure dazzling white dahlia of amazing size. Produces bloom very prolifically. Each 65c, Postpaid.

### PRIZE DAHLIA GARDEN

Order No. 3468. One each of the 5 Prize Dahlias listed above. A \$3.95 Value.

ALL 5 ONLY \$3.45, POSTPAID

## CALLA LILIES

Greatly admired for the stately growth of the bloom stalk and attractive foliage. Very decorative for your flower garden and for planting near a pool.



**3607. YELLOW CALLA.** (Elliotiana.) Deep, pure golden yellow of striking intensity. The blooms will be fully open and hold their perfection of form for a week to 10 days. Each 40c; 2 for 70c, Postpaid.

**3608. WHITE CALLA.** (Maculata Alba.) Shapely bloom, stately growth as the Yellow but the purest white flowers are larger, grow a few inches taller. Each 40c; 2 for 70c, Postpaid.

### CALLA LILY GARDEN

Order No. 3626. Two White and One Yellow Calla Lily. (A \$1.10 Value.)

ALL 3 ONLY 90c, POSTPAID



### Pompon Baby Dahlias

Pictured above are the dainty, delightful Babies of the Dahlia Family . . . the Pompons. Their uniformly quilled petals form perfectly into rounded blooms only about 2 inches across. They are especially prized for bouquets and table decorations, lending gay variety and beauty of color to every arrangement. The Pompons grow to a height of 3 to 4 feet and bloom very profusely for weeks in late summer and Fall. We'll send you vigorous roots, guaranteed to bloom the very first season . . . and here are 4 of the best varieties to bring you the finest colors:

Your Choice, Alike or Assorted  
Each 50c; 3 for \$1.35, Postpaid

**3428. PINK ROSE**

Rosy pink

**3425. MORNING MIST**

White with rosy lavender center and petals outlined with lavender

**3429. RED SYLVIA**

Beautiful garnet red

**3426. YELLOW GEM**

Clear light yellow

### POMPON DAHLIA GARDEN

Order No. 3453

One each of the 4 Pompon Baby Dahlias listed above.

ALL 4 Only \$1.55, Postpaid



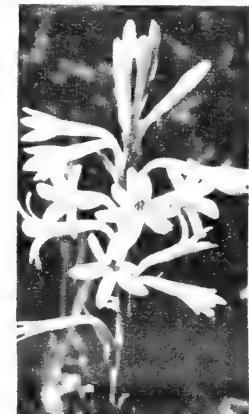
### LILY OF THE VALLEY

Spicy-fragrant little bell shaped flowers on 6 to 8 inch stems. The foliage is gracefully attractive, too. In sun or shade, they soon develop into thriving clumps which provide many dainty bouquets for you.

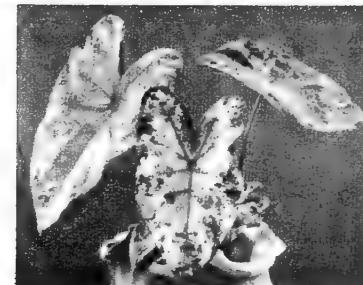
Order No. 2509. Clumps of 5 Plants each, in their own soil. Will bloom this year. Clumps: Each 59c; 3 for \$1.50, Postpaid.

## TUBEROSES

**3600.** Beautiful waxy white flowers open in series on stems 2½ to 3 ft. tall. Often 30 to 50 on a single plant. The Tuberose is extremely fragrant; one blooming stalk will delightfully scent a room. Large size bulbs, guaranteed to bloom the first year. 3 for 35c; 6 for 59c; 12 for \$1.00, Postpaid.



### FANCY LEAF CALADIUM



Brilliant and showy leaves, over a foot long. Here are three very attractive varieties.

Your Choice: Each 35c, Postpaid

**3602. RISING SUN.** A beauty in gold and red contrast. The leaf is dark gold spotted transparent pink and both the center and ribs are a brilliant deep pink.

**3603. SOROCABA.** The leaf is transparent silvery white, suffused light pink. Ribs, veins and a border are green.

**3604. RIO DE JANEIRO.** Leaf in transparent pink with a narrow green margin dotted pink.

### CALADIUM GARDEN

Order No. 3605. One each of the Fancy Leaf Caladium listed above.

ALL 3 ONLY \$1.00, POSTPAID

### GREEN LEAF CALADIUM

**3601.** Called "Elephant Ears" because the leaves may grow to the immense size of 2½ feet wide and 3 feet long. Plants grow to 6 or 7 feet high.

Each 25c; 3 for 65c, Postpaid.

# EARL MAY HARDY PERENNIALS



## COLUMBINE

These large flowered, long spurred Columbine will bring you an abundance of beautiful bloom in late May and June. All of them hardy. ALL POSTPAID.

**2560. CRIMSON STAR.** Brilliant red flowers with snow white inner petals. Each 39c; 3 for 95c.

Your choice of the following.  
Each 35c; 3 for 89c, Postpaid

**2559. BLUE SHADES**

Loveliest shades of blue.

**2564. ROSE QUEEN.**

Soft rose pink.

**2563. SNOW QUEEN.**

Pure White.

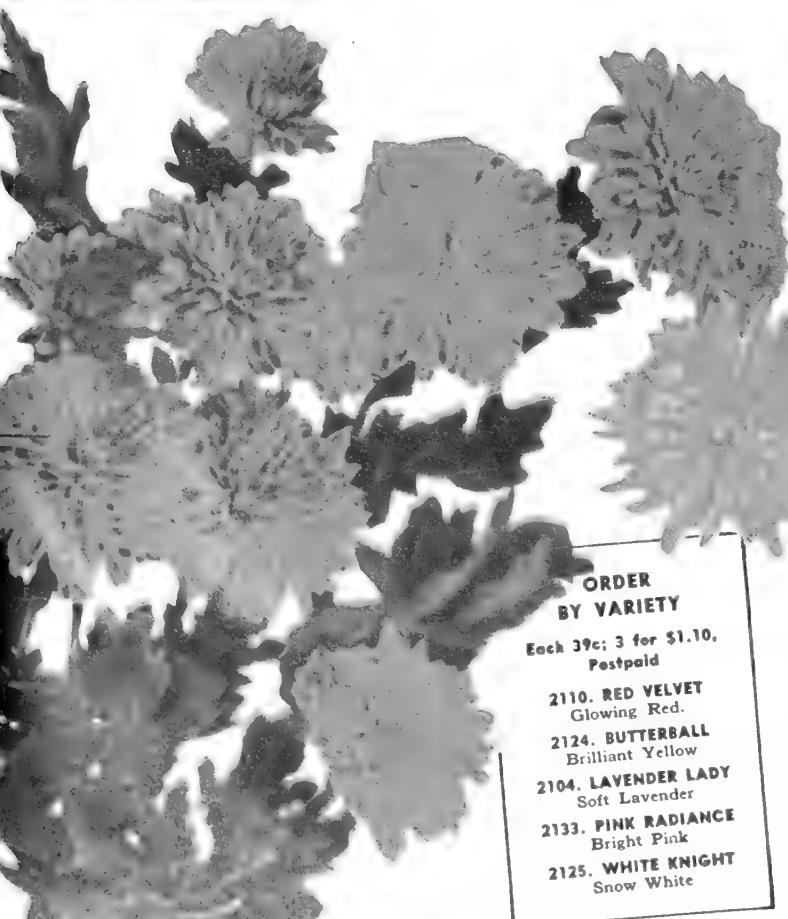
**COLUMBINE GARDEN**

Order No. 2567

One each of the 4 Columbine above.

**ALL 4 ONLY \$1.10, POSTPAID**

**SCOTT ELLIOTT HYBRIDS** (Order No. 2554) This improved strain will bring you wonderful colors, very large flowers with long spurs. 4 for \$1.00, Postpaid.



ORDER  
BY VARIETY  
Each 39c; 3 for \$1.10,  
Postpaid

**2110. RED VELVET**  
Glowing Red.

**2124. BUTTERBALL**  
Brilliant Yellow

**2104. LAVENDER LADY**  
Soft Lavender

**2133. PINK RADIANCE**  
Bright Pink

**2125. WHITE KNIGHT**  
Snow White



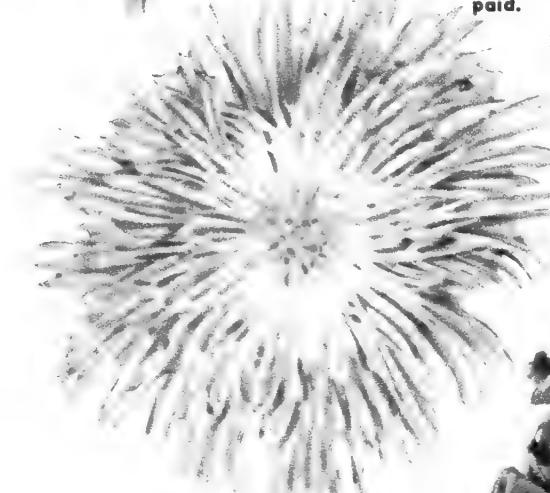
## HARDY CARNATIONS

Beautiful, spicy-fragrant blooms on long stems, ideal for cutting. Generous with bloom from early Summer until frost. They will bloom the first year. Choice of KING OF THE BLACKS (2530), ROSE QUEEN (2532), SNOWDRIFT (2533), and GOLDEN SUN (2529). Your choice. Each 39c; 3 for \$1.10, Postpaid. Order No. 2534. One each of Carnations above. All 4 Only \$1.25, Postpaid.

## Newer Improved CARNATIONS

Larger, more double and more fragrant blooms. Stems often foot long, 12 to 20 blooms on a single plant. Prolific bloomer, Spring until frost. Plants are grown from cuttings like greenhouse carnations. CRIMSON KING (2531) crimson. BEATRICE (2536) salmon pink. SILVER MINE (2555) white. Each 50c, Postpaid.

**2538. One each of Crimson King, Beatrice, and Silver Mine. All 3 only \$1.15, Postpaid.**



## STOKESIA BLUE MOON

**2378. (Giant Stokesia.)** A gorgeous big flower of an unusually lively lilac-blue color. Blooms as wide as 6 inches; come continuously and generously all Summer and up to frost. Stems are 12 to 18 inches tall. Very hardy, thrifty grower, succeeds anywhere. Each 49c; 3 for \$1.25, Postpaid.



## CANTERBURY BELLS

A new improved strain. The flowers are large, bell-shaped and bloom profusely throughout the entire season. Grows 24 to 30 inches tall.

Your choice of

**Rose (2391)**

**Blue (2392)**

**White (2393)**

**Each 35c**

**3 for 89c, Postpaid**



## Cut Flower Varieties of

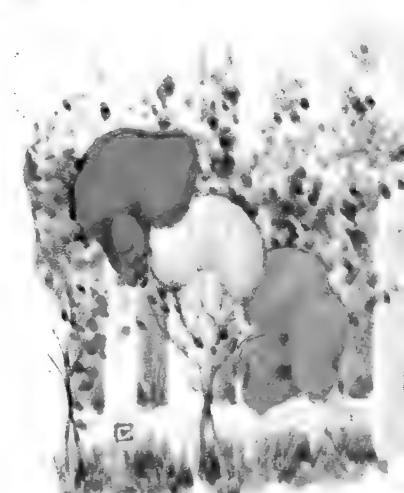
## CHRYSANTHEMUMS

**TALL GROWING.** Bloom in late Summer until freezing weather. The branching sprays of flowers are excellent for cutting. Hundreds of blooms on every plant. Flowers are 2 to 3½ inches across, grow 2 to 3 ft. tall.

## CHRYSANTHEMUM GARDEN

Order No. 2141. One each of all the Chrysanthemums listed at the left.

**ALL 5 ONLY \$1.50, POSTPAID**



## PERENNIAL SWEET PEAS

Larger than the annual, long stems, ideal for cutting. Blooms in abundance in Spring and early Summer. Lives for years and succeeds everywhere. Crimson King (2324), Rose Queen (2325), and White Queen (2326).

**Each 35c; 3 for 89c, Postpaid**



### HARDY ASTERS

Brilliant and lovely autumn flowering perennial. Unexcelled for cut flowers. Varieties listed are large flowered, very vigorous growers and prolific with bloom. Strong thrifty plants.

Alike or Assorted

Each 49c; 3 for \$1.25, Postpaid

**2202. BEACHWOOD CHALLENGER.**  
Best red Aster.

**2203. BLUE GOWN.** Clear blue.

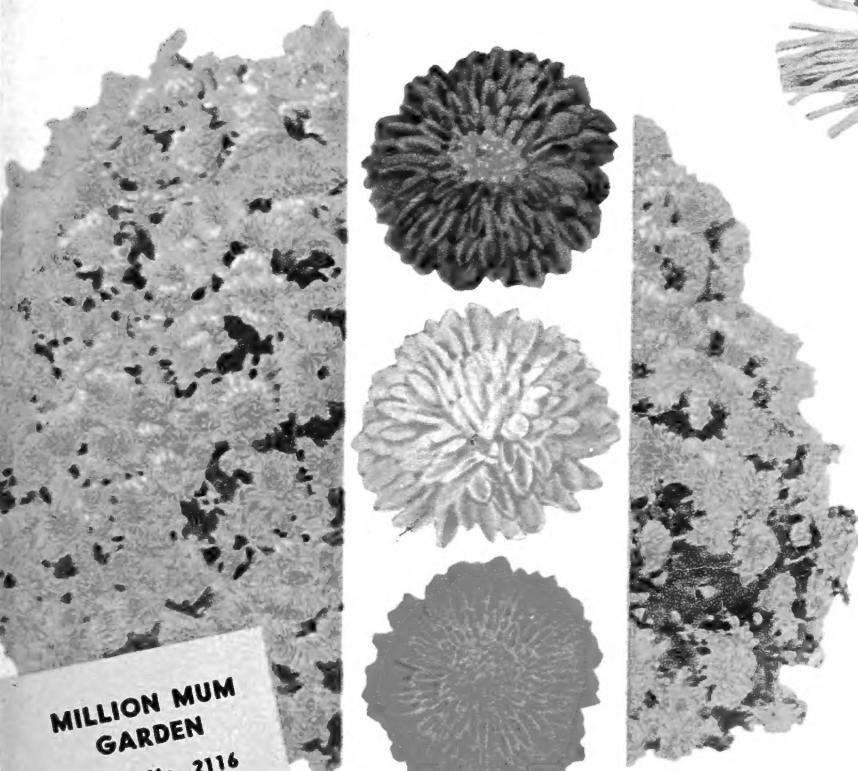
**2201. MT. EVEREST.** Pure white.

**2204. ADORABLE.** Deep clear pink.

### HARDY ASTER GARDEN

**Order No. 2207.** One each of the Asters pictured above.

**ALL 4 ONLY \$1.40, POSTPAID**



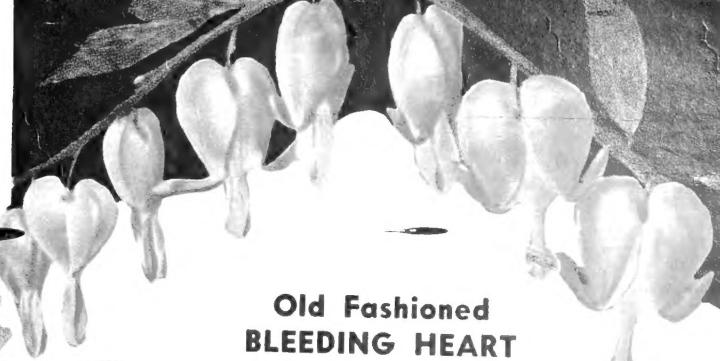
### MILLION MUM GARDEN

Order No. 2116  
One each of Red, Yellow, Pink and Bronze.

**ALL 4 ONLY \$1.25 Postpaid**

### "MILLION MUMS"

**Cushion Type Chrysanthemums**—Grow in low round bush form, and from late summer until heavy frost the rounded, compact clumps are completely covered with flowers. A gorgeous cushion of bloom! Hundreds of blooms even the first year. Thousands of blooms next year and for years to come. Your choice of Red (2114), Yellow (2115), Pink (2113), and Bronze (2112). Each 35c; 3 for \$1.00, Postpaid.



### Old Fashioned BLEEDING HEART

**2557.** Always a favorite. The heart-shaped pink flowers come on long, graceful stems. Blooms through April and May, grows 2 to 3 ft. tall.

Each 80c; 3 for \$2.10, Postpaid

### BLEEDING HEART GARDEN

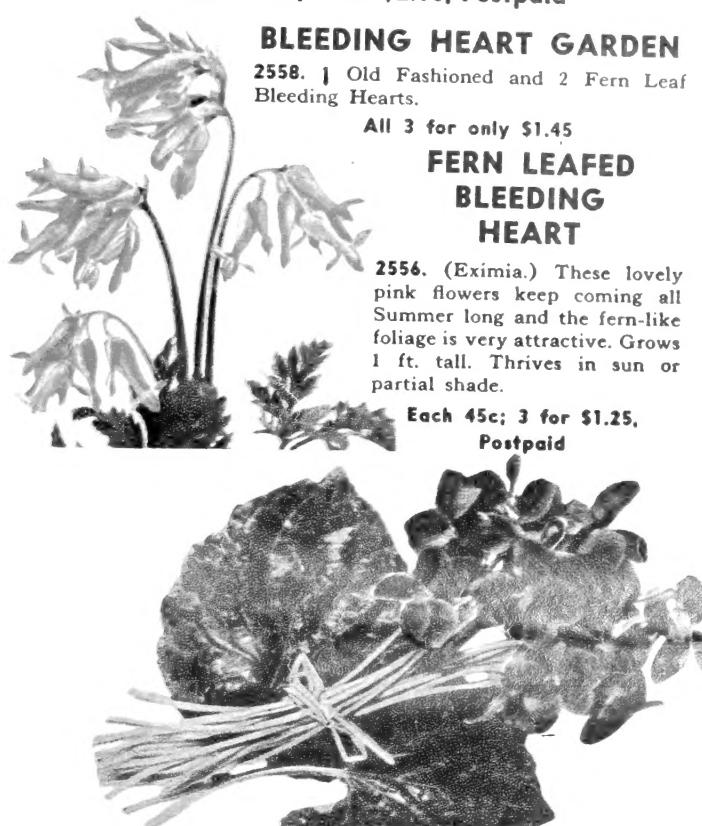
**2558.** 1 Old Fashioned and 2 Fern Leaf Bleeding Hearts.

All 3 for only \$1.45

### FERN LEAFED BLEEDING HEART

**2556.** (Eximia.) These lovely pink flowers keep coming all Summer long and the fern-like foliage is very attractive. Grows 1 ft. tall. Thrives in sun or partial shade.

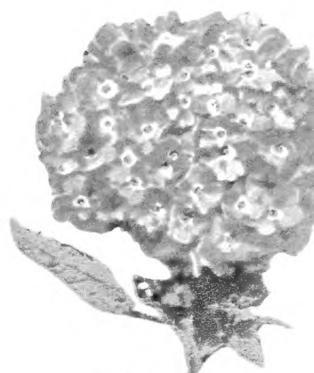
Each 45c; 3 for \$1.25, Postpaid



### ENGLISH VIOLETS

**2575.** (Prince of Wales.) The largest flowering violet that grows! Blooms are rich, royal purple and they are very sweet scented. Very long stems. Will grow anywhere, but do best in partial shade. We guarantee good, strong hardy roots.

Each 35c; 3 for 89c; 6 for \$1.50, Postpaid



### HARDY VERBENA

**2569.** The beautiful clusters of lavender-red flowers start blooming in June, continue until October. Grows 6 to 8 inches tall. It's ideal for bedding. Blooms best in full sun.

Each 35c;  
3 for 89c, Postpaid



### DELPHINIUM

**2523. PACIFIC HYBRID DELPHINIUM.** This giant hybrid strain has very double and very large flowers. There are pale blues, deepest indigos and royal purples with pastel tones of pink and mauve and lavender blendings. Florets are massive. The strong, upstanding spikes are long and luxuriantly loaded with bloom. Each 39c; 3 for \$1.10, Postpaid.

### NAMED VARIETIES OF PACIFIC HYBRID DELPHINIUMS

Each 49c, Postpaid

**2595. KING ARTHUR.** Rich Royal blue, with a large white bee.

**2594. BLUE JAY.** Dark blue.

**2592. GUINEVERE.** Light Lavender.

**2590. GALAHAD.** Pure white.

### DELPHINIUM GARDEN

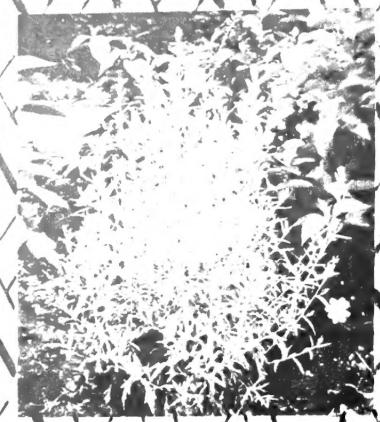
**2519.** One each of King Arthur, Blue Jay, Guinevere, and Galahad. All 4 only \$1.75, Postpaid.

# MORE HARDY PERENNIALS



## FORGET-ME-NOT

2317. (Blue Eyes.) These darling little light blue flowers have been admired for generations. Very dainty, attractive in floral arrangements as well as beautiful in the foreground of your perennial plantings. Grows 6 inches high. **Each 35c; 3 for 89c, Postpaid.**



## ARTEMESIA (Silver King)

2303. The silvery foliage of Artemesia will bring striking and beautiful contrast to your perennial and shrub plantings. You will also find that sprays of Artemesia enhance the beauty and attractiveness of your bouquets. The lovely branching growth is 3 to 4 feet high. **Each 35c; 3 for 89c, Postpaid.**



## GIANT ALASKA SHASTA DAISY

The Shasta Daisies are unexcelled for generous bloom and beautiful long stemmed cut flowers.

**Your choice: Each 35c; 3 for 89c, Postpaid**

2314. **Giant Alaska.** Large glistening white single flowers, golden centers. Bloom late Spring and into the Summer.

2384. **MARCONI.** Fully double, beautifully frilled flowers are often 4 inches across. Stems are ideally stiff for cutting.

2335. **Deiner's 8-inch.** Largest flowering Shasta. Single white blooms reach the astounding size of 8 inches across.

**SHASTA DAISY SPECIAL Order No. 2311.** One each of above. All 3 only 85c, Postpaid.

## GAILLARDIA TANGERINE

2328. Beautifully brilliant orange flowers are borne abundantly on this new Gaillardia. Sensational beauty from June 'til frost.

2318. **BURGUNDY GAILLARDIA.** Glowing wine-red blooms. Abundant flowers for Summer and Fall bouquets.

2320. **SUNGOD GAILLARDIA.** Brilliant golden yellow blooms come in endless parade from June 'til frost. Dozens in bloom at the same time.

**Your choice of the above:**

**Each 35c; 3 for 89c, Postpaid**

## GAILLARDIA GARDEN

**Order No. 2340. One each of the 3 Gaillardias above . . . All 3 for only 85c, Postpaid.**



## For ROCK GARDEN and BORDER PLANTINGS

**CREEPING PHLOX.** (Subulata), pictured above, is an ideal plant for borders, rock gardens, and for a ground cover. It grows only 4 to 6 inches high and "hugs" the ground. In very early Spring, sometimes with the last wet snow, the plants are literally one solid mass of colorful bloom. The foliage is moss-like and, evergreen. Here are 4 very fine varieties:

**Your choice: Each 39c; 3 for \$1.00,  
Postpaid**

2365. Blue Hills                    2367. Rosy Pink  
2366. Crimson Beauty            2368. Snowflake

## CREEPING PHLOX SPECIAL

**Order No. 2347. One each of all Creeping Phlox listed above.**

**ALL 4 ONLY \$1.25, POSTPAID**  
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**SEDUM,** pictured above, is another favorite plant for rock gardens, borders and edgings. The plants grow only 6 to 8 inches high and spread out along the ground and over the rocks. They bloom profusely.

**Your Choice: Each 35c; 3 for 89c,  
Postpaid**

- 2361. Pure White.
- 2362. Rosy Purple.
- 2363. Orange-yellow.
- 2364. Rose Pink.

## SEDUM SPECIAL

**Order No. 2359. One each of all 4 Sedums listed above.**

**ALL 4 ONLY \$1.00, POSTPAID**

## HARDY OUTDOOR FERNS

One of the most attractive hardy plants. The dense growth of beautiful foliage is always lovely. Will thrive in the shady places close to your house where other plants fail to grow. Ferns give a planting effect of Nature's own way. We have four fine varieties for you:

**EACH 35c; 3 for 89c, POSTPAID**

2510. **OSTRICH PLUME.** Tallest growing of all. The long graceful leaves resemble an ostrich feather, grow to 3 feet.

2511. **GOLDIE'S WOOD FERN.** Arched and spreading type. Very vigorous. Grows 2 feet tall.

2512. **MAIDEN HAIR.** Most attractive and rarest. Very wiry, slender, black stems with delicate green fronds. 12 to 18 inches tall.

2513. **INTERRUPTED.** Grows 2 to 4 feet tall. Good for foundation plantings, shade or semi-shade.

## FERN GARDEN

**Order No. 2514. One each of the 4 Ferns above . . . All 4 Only \$1.10, Postpaid.**

**2518. 10 Assorted Ferns, our selection, \$3.00, Postpaid.**



### POMPON MUMS

The darlings of the Chrysanthemum family! The intensely double blooms are beautifully rounded and a single spray may have as many as 25 blooms. The plants also make a shapely growth and cover themselves with bloom from September until killing frost. Here are 3 outstanding varieties:

Your choice: Each 40c; 3 for \$1.10, Postpaid

**2157. ORCHID JEWEL**, orchid pink. Grows to 2 feet high.

**2120. PIGMY GOLD**, brilliant golden yellow. Grows to 18 inches high.

**2155. RUBY**, rich glowing crimson. Grows to 2½ feet high.

#### POMPON MUM SPECIAL

Order No. 2160. One each of above.  
ALL 3 ONLY \$1.00, POSTPAID



### BRISTOL FAIRY BABY'S BREATH

This delicate flower is one of our rarest beauties. The body of the plant grows close to the ground, then shoots up numerous feathery panicles of white or pink flowers on thread-like stalks during early summer. They are beautiful to mix in with bouquets of other flowers and are fine for winter bouquets.

**2501. BRISTOL FAIRY**. Large, pure white, very double. Blooms all summer. 1½ to 2 feet. Each 90c, Postpaid.

**2502. ROSY VEIL**. Double like Bristol Fairy. Flowers open white and change to delicate pink as season advances. Is 2 weeks earlier than Bristol Fairy. Each 55c, Postpaid.

**2503. PANICULATA**. This is the old fashioned favorite with tiny white single flowers which give it a gauze-like appearance. Each 35c, Postpaid.

#### BABY'S BREATH SPECIAL

2504. One each of 3 Above, \$1.50, Postpaid.



### DELPHINIUM LYONDEL HYBRIDS

**2516.** A wonder strain of Delphinium, with extreme hardiness and large flowers. Colors from pale blue to deep royal purples; double, semi-double, and single. Giant spikes are compactly covered with bloom. Grows to 4 feet tall. Each 45c.

**2520. CLIVEDON BEAUTY**. (Improved Belladonna) Beautiful sky blue. Grows 3 to 4 ft. tall. Blooms in June and again in September. Each 35c, Postpaid.

**2521. LA MARTINE**. (Improved Belladonna.) Deepest blue with a distinct white eye. Grows 3 to 4 ft. tall. Blooms over a long period. Each 35c, Postpaid.

Order No. 2515. DELPHINIUM SPECIAL. One each of 3 Delphinium above. ALL 3 ONLY \$1.00, POSTPAID.

### SWEET WILLIAM

Brilliantly colorful in early spring. Trusses densely packed with bloom, comes on stems 12 to 18 inches tall. Your choice of the following. Each 35c; 3 for 89c, Postpaid.

- 2339. SCARLET BEAUTY.
- 2341. PINK BEAUTY.
- 2343. PURPLE BEAUTY, deep bright purple.
- 2550. FIREBIRD. Brilliant red.

#### SWEET WILLIAM GARDEN

Order No. 2354. One each of Sweet William above . . . all 4 for only \$1.10, Postpaid.



SWEET WILLIAM

### GIANT FLOWERING HIBISCUS

Flowers often 6 inches across and they come along continuously from July to October. The shrub like growth reaches 4½ to 5 feet high.

Your Choice of colors  
Each 35c; 3 for 89c, Postpaid

- 2369. Brilliant Red.
- 2370. Bright Pink.
- 2371. Albino White.

#### Hibiscus Garden

Order No. 2321. One each of colors above . . . all 3 for only 75c, Postpaid.



HIBISCUS

### PAINTED DAISY

(Pyrethrum)

Lots of lovely long stemmed bloom throughout early spring. Excellent for cutting.

Your choice of varieties:

Each 39c; 3 for \$1.00, Postpaid

- 2385. ROBINSON RED, rich crimson.
- 2386. ROSEUM, bright pink.
- 2387. SEMI-DOUBLE. Blooms range in color through light pink to deepest reds.

#### PAINTED DAISY GARDEN

Order No. 2388. One each of varieties above . . . all 3 for only 95c, Postpaid.



PYRETHRUM

### CHICAGO UNIVERSITY CHRYSANTHEMUMS

Abundant bloom by mid-September! Plus extra hardiness and new perfection in color, form, and foliage. No wonder these newer mums, developed by Dr. Kraus, University of Chicago, are called the Grand Champions. Sturdy growth, 2 feet high. Unexcelled for long weeks of beautiful bouquets.



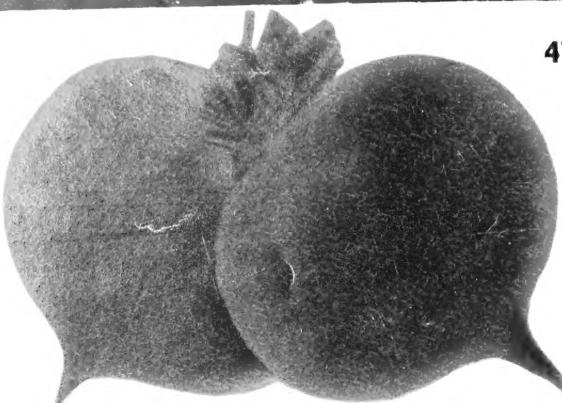
Your choice, alike or assorted, Each 50c, Postpaid

2170. BARBARA SMALL. Lilac pink.	2173. OLIVE LONGLAND. Apricot toned pastel pink.
2171. MARBINGER. Yellow suffused bronze and apricot.	2174. POLAR ICE. Pure White.
2172. HEATHERBLOOM. Sparkling pink shaded rose-red and tipped gold.	2175. ROBERT BRYDON. Garnet Red.

Order No. 2176. One each of 6 above only \$2.25, Postpaid.

## 4TH OF JULY SWEET CORN

139. (64 days.) Earliest of all the hybrids and the beautiful golden kernels are very sweet and tender. Medium size 12-row ears. For the past 5 years our very early plantings of this great hybrid have made roasting ears for the 4th of July. That explains the name. Plant it this year for delicious roasting ears real early, ahead of all the rest. **Big 3-oz. Pkt. 15c; 1/2 lb. 35c; 1 lb. 55c; 2 lbs. 98c, Postpaid.**



### BABY CANNING BEET

203. (54 days.) Best canning and pickling beets yet developed. Perfect globe-shaped, smooth and uniform with deep crimson, even color throughout. Grows 3 inches across and makes the finest pickling beet you ever tasted when about half grown. The smooth, tender flesh is the finest quality of all. **Pkt. 10c; 1/2 oz. 20c; ounce 35c; 1/4 lb. 98c, Postpaid.**



### GIANT RADISHES

Double the size of the ordinary radishes, firm, solid, crisp mild. (See page 37.)

### CRIMSON GIANT

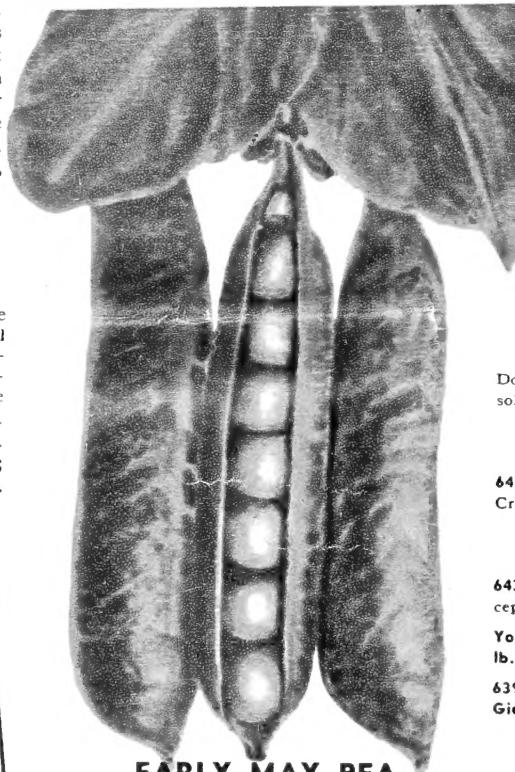
642. The great big bright crimson radish. Crisp, solid, mild.

### WHITE GIANT

643. A twin brother of Crimson Giant except snow white.

Your choice: **Pkt. 10c; ounce 20c; 1/4 lb. 40c; 1 lb. 95c, Postpaid.**

639. One Packet each of Crimson and White Giant. Only 15c; Postpaid.



### EARLY MAY PEA

#### Extra Early, Sweet and Tender

174. (55 Days.) As early as the earliest and far sweeter and more tender than the Alaska types. Vigorous vines grow 2 feet high and make big yields of sugar-sweet peas. A favorite for every use: delicious eaten fresh, fine for home canning, unexcelled for quick freezing. Sure to please you in every way. **Big 3-oz. pkt. 10c; 1/2 lb. 25c; 1 lb. 45c; 2 lbs. 80c, Postpaid.**

### WHITE SWEET KEEPER

504. A new one and a champion in every way! Combines the best features of finest Bermuda and best Spanish varieties. **Sweet and mild like the Bermuda, firm and solid and an excellent keeper like the Spanish onions.** White Sweet Keepers average  $\frac{1}{2}$  to  $\frac{3}{4}$  lb. each, are round and smooth. Frost proof plants, too, so you can put the plants out extra early. (Approximate count). 200 plants 75c; 500 for \$1.35; 1000 for \$2.55, Postpaid.

### NEW LOGAN GREEN BEAN

106. (51 Days.) A new one originated by the U. S. Department of Agriculture. It continues to make wonderful records in our test gardens! Long, plump, dark green pods are extra tender, extra delicious and there are no strings. The yields were very heavy in all our plantings through the Spring and Summer. Cans the best of all the beans we grew. Try this new one.

**Big 3-oz. Pkt. 15c;  
1/2 lb. 33c;  
Lb. 60c,  
Postpaid**

### RED CLOUD TOMATO

761. (57 Days.) Three weeks earlier than Rutgers! Tomatoes by Mid-July from plants set out early in May! Medium size, firm, smooth, meaty, and fine flavor. During the very hot, dry days of last Summer, Red Cloud kept on bearing much more fruit than any other variety. No matter what other tomato you plant, be sure you have some Red Clouds. **Pkt. 15c; 1/4 oz. 35c; 1/2 oz. 60c, Postpaid.**

### TENDER SWEET CARROT

303. (70 days.) Pictured at the left. The sweetest of them all and very early, too. Delicious flavor and melting tenderness delights everyone. Deep orange color, very smooth and uniform. "Tender-sweet" tells the story. Grow this one for sure. **Pkt. 10c; 1/2 oz. 25c; ounce 40c; 1/4 lb. \$1.20, Postpaid.**

### STILL MORE VEGETABLES

For a complete listing of scores of the finest varieties of vegetables turn to  
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